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TAMWORTH, - ONTARIO 24-tf

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POULTRY REGISTRATION

(Experimental Farms Note)

Poultry Registration is now well under way. The first inspection of 1924 is completed and the inspectors in the various provinces report favorably on the work. The breeders have given generous support to the movement and interest seems to have increased materially during the last year. This is no doubt due to the better knowledge gained with respect to registration work throughout Canada. Those in direct charge of the inspection of registered hens have tried to impart such detail to the breeders as will enable them to keep accurate records of the progeny of the registered females. Recording forms have been supplied to each breeder, and leg bands, which later are to be used as wing bands, have been furnished for all chicks, the progeny of registered females. All male birds have been inspected for these matings and in nearly every case the very finest of producing blood lines are to be found behind these males.

An honest effort is being made by every breeder to establish a firm basis for his registered poultry, as he realizes that fraud or carelessness of any kind will later reflect on the strain. The firm confidence displayed by the public generally in registration, shows that the work of the Canadian National Poultry Record Association is being appreciated by the poultrymen of Canada.

Reports of fertility and hatchability are very encouraging and give promise of being very much better than the hatching season of 1923. To hear of 75 per cent. hatches is quite common and many breeders are getting even 90 per cent. hatchability from their registered birds.

Generally speaking, the contestants who have been successful in the various laying contests throughout Canada report active business conditions, which indicates that the egg laying contests are serving as a guide to the farming public in the securing of reliable bred-to-lay stock.

Dr. Ralph Aylesworth, Eye Specialist, is removing his office from Smith's Jewellery Store to Wallace's Drug Store. Appointments may be made at the store. 25-b

NOTICE OF MEETING

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

of Lennox and Addington, at call of the Warden, will meet at the Council Chamber, in the Court House, NAPANEE, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 10th, 1924 at 2 p. m.

All accounts must be in the hands of the undersigned not later than Wednesday, June 4th, in order that they may be considered.

W. G. WILSON, County Clerk.

Dated May 23rd, 1924.

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COURT OF REVISION.

A meeting of the Court of Revision for the village of Bath, will be held at the Town Hall, on Monday, June 2nd, at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m., to hear and decide all appeals against the Assessment Roll of the said village, for the year 1924.

E. P. SHEPHARD, Village Clerk.

Bath, May 24th, 1924.

COURT OF REVISION.

Township of Richmond.

A Court of Revision of the Assessment Roll of the Township of Richmond, will be held at the Town Hall, Selby, on Monday, June 2nd, at 9.00 a.m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the said Roll. All persons interested in the said Court will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

H. A. WOOD, Township Clerk.

Keep a box of Cold Break Ups on hand and be minute you feel a cold coming on commence taking them. Nine times out of ten you will break it up. 25c. a box at WALLACE'S.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Hamilton, Ont., May 23rd, 1924.

Dear Sir:—The Department order providing for immediate payment of cheques on P. O. Savings Deposits, is a step in the right direction, and by extending or abolishing the limit, raising or abolishing the limit on deposits, the Government would gradually accumulate sufficient funds to establish a Government Federal Reserve Bank (not a Bankers Federal Reserve Bank) through rediscount the ordinary bank securities for say 50 per cent. to 60 per cent. of their value, when they required more funds, this would effectually cure the audit business, for if they were unable to produce sound security they would not get the advance, whereas an audit would add columns of millions of dollars of Call loans to brokers, bucket shops, wildcat scheme promoters, etc., in New York and elsewhere, which could count in their assets, but could not be rediscounted in the Government Federal Reserve Bank, or perhaps in any other financial institution in Canada.

The Public are expecting the establishment of a Government Federal Reserve Bank, which would help cure most of the ills of our present Banking System. But if the Parliamentary advocates of a Federal Reserve Bank mean "A Bankers Federal Reserve Bank," then the imaginary cure will be worse than the present disease, still worse, if they carry with it the imaginary approval of Parliament, which might be misconstrued to mean Government assurance, and be much more serious than the present difference of opinion, as to whether the depositors would have any more Government security than they now have, in the Home Bank case.

Nothing will satisfy the public except absolute Government responsibility for deposits, and the government can only assume this responsibility, if it actually receive the money, either in the Post Office Saving Bank or the Government Federal Reserve Bank. The various promoters of a Federal Reserve Bank, must clearly define whether it is "A Government Federal Reserve Bank," which would be absolutely safe, or a Bankers Federal Reserve, which would be only private corporation security as at present.

Government interest in Head Office or Branch Bank Deposits is [illegible] Thus they could [illegible] a Government Bank [illegible] to make a profit, it would be of little avail as personal [illegible] tions made before the Royal Commission on the Home Bank, because real security can only follow government regulation of deposits. Why longer confuse the Public on this most important and distressin gmatter.

Yours truly,
W. G. SEALEY,
61 Hunter St., W.

ANDERSON.

Owing to the continued heavy rains the farmers are not through seeding and things are very backward.

A great many people are indisposed with lagrippe and mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Baird and Dr. Stratton motored to Kingston on Friday last in regards to Mrs. Baird's knee, which she injured in a fall a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Johnston and family spent Friday last in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Parks and family motored to the High Shore on Friday last and spent the day with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Craig spent Monday at J. R. Ackerman's.

Miss L. Chambers, of New York, is visiting her mother and sister for a time.

The Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. S. Baldwin on Wednesday afternoon last, at the usual hour.

DESERONTO.

Mr. H. W. Williams, of Toronto, is renewing acquaintances in town. Mr. Williams, whose son conducts the summer resort, "Glen Island," announces the opening of the resort early in June.

Mr. E. O. Smith, of the C.N.R., Ottawa, is a visitor with his family and friends in town.

After a few days' visit with his mother and relatives in town, Mr. Fred Harvey returned Thursday to his home in Taoronto.

The residence of Mr. W. Hunt, Thomas street, has been greatly improved by the erection of a fine verandah and by repainting.

The barge White and Friant is anchored in the Deseronto harbor, with six hundred tons of coal aboard awaiting a tow to Belleville for delivery of the cargo to the Allen Coal Co. Capt. J. McGamblin is in charge of the barge.

Mr. S. Carly and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Fawcles, of Belleville, were social visitors with friends in town on Thursday.

Mr. F. J. Cummings has extended his fish purchasing territory and now makes semi-weekly trips to Lake Ontario fishermen in quest of white fish and salmon trout.

Mr. Jack Roach has severed his connection with the R. Wheler dry goods and gents' furnishing stores, where he has been assistant manager of the gents' furnishings department for a number of years. Mr. Roach may locate in Montreal.

A fair number of Deseronto's young people were in attendance at the dance held in the Armouries, Napanee, on Wednesday evening and report a very enjoyable evening. The dance was held under the auspices of the Napanee Lacrosse Club.

A GREAT DEBATE ON PROHIBITION

In the debate on the United States Rum-Running Treaty, in the British House of Commons, Ex-Premier Baldwin said, "There is no doubt that ratification, while it will do away with what may seem to be a small matter, will really do more good between the two peoples than almost anything you can think of."

Lloyd George said: "It is not a question of whether we believe in Prohibition or not. The United States has definitely decided to make the experiment. I was told on all hands there, by men opposed to Prohibition, that if you put it to vote tomorrow you would get a vote of at least 60 per cent. in favor of renewing the experiment.

"What is rather important for us is that even those who are in favor of varying the experiment, only wish to vary it by introducing light wines and beers. If it were proposed to sell spirits, you would get 95 per cent. against it, I am assured."

Lord Curzon said: "I agree that the spectacle of this rum-running, this roar and strife outside the limit, is a squalid and sordid spectacle, and the fact that it is strictly legal does not in the least make it more attractive, because these matters have to be regarded from the point of their effect on national sentiment."

And now, my readers, we have the right to help settle this question, that is demanding attention in every civilized country in the world. We will tell you something further along that later.

The Ballot is the right, alone of the citizen—and it is a great responsibility.

MARLBANK.

The cold spell that struck this town on Monday is still with us and people are wondering when summer will be here.

The gang of men are still busy on the road here, and will soon have a good road through the village.

Mr. and Mrs. McAdams, of Brownsville, spent a few days here with their daughters, Mrs. A. Whitman and Mrs. P. Kimmett.

Mr. Clare Breen has returned home after her operation and her many friends are pleased to see her looking so well.

Mrs. Wilson and little daughter, of Picton, are visiting her father, Mrs. Dyer.

[illegible] is over and every Eve moved to their new home in Napanee. C. Dale is running the business here.

Mr. Clare Breen returned home Wednesday night after spending a few days out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gee visited Mr. Mason on Saturday last.

Miss Marion McLaughlin spent a week with her mother here.

Dentist Hamilton, of Napanee, spent Tuesday last here.

ROBLIN.

A number from here attended the celebration in Tamworth on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Paul and family spent Sunday with friends in Deseronto.

Miss Jessie Roberts, of Kingston, spent the week-end with her sister, Miss M. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. VanAlstyne, Napanee, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. Fisher.

Mrs. Alfred McCutcheon is on the sick list, with Dr. Stratton in attendance. We hope for a speedy recovery.

The recent heavy frosts did a considerable amount of damage in the surrounding country. Many farmers will have to sow their grain over again.

Rev. M. Wilson preached a very impressive temperance sermon on Sunday evening.

Rev. Mr. Hammond and daughter, Lilla, spent a few days this week with friends at Northport.

Seventeen Sentenced to Die.

LENINGRAD, May 26. — The Supreme Court, Saturday, condemned to death seventeen former judges, court officials, lawyers and others connected with the operation of the new economic policy who had been tried on charges of corruption and bribery.

Forty-eight persons had been on trial for twelve days. Of the remaining thirty-one, seven were sentenced to ten years' imprisonment, two to five years' imprisonment, while a number of others were ordered deported to Siberia. Three were acquitted.

The bribery charge concerned the fraudulent granting of legal immunity to prisoners.

One Dead, Four Hurt.

TORONTO, May 26.—One man is dead, and four persons are still in hospital with serious injuries, as the result of two motor accidents, the one at Balsam avenue and Queen street east, early Sunday morning, the other at Dundas street and Brock avenue, about midnight, Friday. The driver of one of the cars is under arrest on a charge of manslaughter.

Octogenarian Loses Life.

BELLEVILLE, May 26.—Samuel Hart, farmer, aged 80 years, lost his life Saturday evening when he fell off the bridge at Pochere's Mills into the Moira river. He had been visiting his son, J. O. Hart of Welland, lately, and returned only on Thursday. He was a retired farmer.

One of the best spring tonics and blood purifiers we know of is Burdock and Sarsaparilla with Iodide. Everyone needs just such a treatment after the winter. Sold in $1.00 bottles at WALLACE'S.

MAJOR PETER VANALSTINE

LEADER OF SOLDIER SETTLERS AT ADOLPHUSTOWN IN 1792.

When the Loyalists celebrate in a few weeks the coming of their ancestors to the Bay of Quinte region 140 years ago, it is to be hoped that they pay heed to the memory of such a man as Major Peter Vanalstine, leader of the soldier settlers who came to Adolphustown. It was Vanalstine who took the seat in the first Legislature of Upper Canada at Newark, in 1792, which Philip Dorland, the Quaker leader, could not accept when he failed to take the prescribed oath as a member. Colonel Macdonnell, the Speaker of the House of former Senator A. Claude Macdonnell, who died the other day) after consideration of a statement presented by Dorland, declared the seat vacant, and a new election resulted in the choice of Vanalstine who took his seat at the second session.

Dr. Caniff's "Settlement of Upper Canada" states that Peter Vanalstine was Major only by courtesy and that he came as a non-combatant at the head of non-combatant former Loyalists. This statement has been repeated again and again, but it is incorrect," says C.C. James, in his paper on the first Parliament of Upper Canada, published through courtesy of Rev. W. O. Raymond, of St. John (who recently died in Toronto). I have been permitted to examine a muster roll of Batteau men organized and directed by Captain Peter Vanalstine, and in his evidence before the Claims Commission, Vanalstine refers to his military services. Major Vanalstine was of Dutch ancestry. He came from near Albany, N.Y., and spoke English with a foreign accent. After living for some years in Adolphustown he moved across the Bay to Prince Edward where he had large holdings of land, and started the mill at the most picturesque spot of the Bay district, the Lake on the Mountain. He returned to Adolphustown and died at his old home in 1811."

The Lake on the Mountain, four miles along the Prince Edward shore from Picton, is still one of the beauty spots of the Bay of Quinte district. The building of the mill were used partly for war purposes a few years ago, when the level above the level of the Bay of Quinte, thus adding to the [illegible] water power. The source of the water has ever remained a mystery. Some believe it comes by a subterranean channel from a lake on the mainland to the north, but more probably it is fed by spring. Bystander in Toronto Globe.

be promptly filled.
W. O. D. Mops and dusters. Same price as at Eaton's.
DAVY & ALLISON.

THE CHEAPER CUTS OF BEEF.

The pot roast which is frequently used by the thrifty housewife in her effort to keep down her butcher bill and still provide good meals, may be made from many of the cheaper cuts, such as the blade, of the beef carcass. After being wiped with a damp cloth it is placed in a covered bake pan or casserole, with two cups or more of hot water. It should be covered tightly and baked in a moderate oven or on top of the stove, keeping the heat just below the boiling point. Pamphlet No. 43 of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, available through the Publications Branch, shows how the meat bill may be reduced by utilizing the cheaper cuts. About one-half hour's time for each pound of meat in the roast is recommended. About an hour and a quarter before serving, pared potatoes and sliced carrots and onions may be added. When ready to serve, the roast should be removed to a hot platter and the gravy thickened and seasoned. If the meat is very fat, it is advisable to remove the fat from the top of the gravy before thickening. The pamphlet contains many other recipes for utilizing the cheaper cuts of beef.

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OLD BOYS' AND GIRL'S RE-UNION

The Committees who will have charge of the various activities in connection with the Re-Union are being formed and letters are already being received from former residents expressing their intention of being here. The secretary, Mr. J. M. Simpson is receiving lists of former residents with their addresses, and many more lists should be handed in this week. Make a list of your absent relatives and friends and send or hand in your list, and help to make this event the greatest ever held in the town. Get busy to-day.

GIVES UP ALL HOPE OF FINDING YOUTHS

MOTOR BOATS SEARCH LAKE FOR DROWNED CHUMS.

Mr. Luman Sherwood, 4 Regent street, Ottawa, telephoned his wife from Montreal on Tuesday night that after being out on the Lake of the Tow Mountains all day in a motor boat, and after making an exhaustive search, no trace had been found of his son, Howard, aged 21, and Drummond Naftel, aged 23, who left Hudson, Que., in a canoe, paddling in the St. Lawrence river last Saturday, and who have not been seen since.

Mrs. Sherwood, when informed of the search, said that she had given up all hope of finding her son alive. She said that her husband told her that no search was made on Monday, as the lake was too rough, but that on Tuesday several motor boats had gone over the lake in every direction with no results. The red and green canoe in which the boys were last seen was found on Tuesday in the river near Senneville.

Members of the Sherwood family had hoped that the two youths had taken refuge on one of the small islands on the Lake of the Two Mountains after their canoe had overturned. It is now thought that both Howard and his chum are drowned, as the water in the lake is icy cold, and both young men were exhausted in the icy waters and sank. Both youths were expert swimmers and skilful canoeists.

Mrs. Sherwood said that the boys left Hudson on Saturday last. Just below at the entrance to the lake they had lunch on that day, but that was the last she had a letter from Howard for days ago. He didn't mention taking any canoe trip. He met Drummond Naftel, a chum, who came to Montreal for winter's cruising for the Wayagamack Pulp Paper Company, and the chums decided to celebrate their graduation with what proved in a fatal canoe trip. Howard had been home at Easter.

Howard Sherwood was well known and exceptionally popular in Ottawa. He was educated at Ottawa Public Schools, the Ottawa Collegiate Institute and the Ottawa Technical School. He left Ottawa two years ago to take a student's course in the Canadian National Railways, Montreal. He was a clever draughtsman and won a prize at the Toronto Exhibition last year with a drawing. He was preparing another one for this year's exhibition.

Drummond Naftel, his chum, is a son of Mr. F. J. Naftel, of the staff of the Bank of Montreal, Montreal.

Howard Sherwood is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sherwood, Napanee.

"How excellent is Thy loving kindness, O God," Ps. 36-7; "Thou will keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee, because he trusteth Thee," Isa. 26-3; "Lord what will Thou have me to do," Acts 9-6; "I will fear no evil for Thou art with me," Ps. 23-4; "The Lord giveth wisdom," Prov. 2-6; "The earth is full of the goodness of the Lord," Ps. 33-5; "Her ways are ways of pleasantness and all her paths are peace," Prov. 3-17; "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life," John 3-16.

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By His unerring power surrounded,
By His unerring counsels led.

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MAY 1924	Our Weekly Calendar	Moon Phases New Moon June 2nd
27	Tue.	Beware of the ones who are forever telling you how honest and trustworthy they are.
28	Wed.	In May she's making lots of clothes, Because in June she'll marry.
29	Thur.	Why June is called lucky no one knows, Except 'tis the old Harry.
30	Fri.	Stabbed in the night by unseen foes, their war cry a ceaseless din. In blankets covered from head to toes, How they got under nobody knows, But them savage mosquitoes got in,
31	Sat.	They are coming, yes they're coming, In the darkest hour of night, We can hear their voices humming, Ere they on our forms alight.
1	Sun.	Unto Thee, O God, be all glory, forevermore.
2	Mon.	June, June, sing a tune, The loveliest month of the year; Berry time, make a rhyme, For strawberry time is near.

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A SPRING ODE

(With the Usual Apologies to Somebody.)

I go up
Feeling sorta tired
This morning.
And by the sun
Coming in
At the window
I know it was
Really a Spring Day.
And so I went
Down to work
Feeling
Worse than ever.
What is Hell's the matter with me?
I said to myself
"I sure wish
I'd a been born
In them happy
Old pagan times
When a man could
Roll on the grass
If he wanted to
And there were
Nymphs and things
In the brake
(Whatever that is)
And a guy didn't
Have to wear out
His heart at a desk
And then when I got
Was out for lunch
I saw
An old girl of mie
And she says
"It's sure funny, Bill,
To think of you married
And workin' steady
And all—
You who was always
Such a care free
Personality."
And she gave me
A look.
So that
After she left me
I says to myself
I'm done—
"I'm done—
They gotta find
Some other life
For me.
It's me for the
Spanish Main
Or Tahiti, or some
Place where the world
Ain't all work
And worry.
I'll go right back
Now and tell the boss
To go to Hell—
I'm done."
And then I
Got to thinkin'
About the
Little woman at home
Who is dependin'
On me keepin' straight
And the baby and
The dog
And the chickens —
They all get a share
Outa my pay envelope;
And that maybe
If I quit
Life would go some
Harder with them.
"And that's responsibility,"
I says to myself.
"And maybe
While it ain't all
Beer and Skittles
It's the thing
The good God
Wished on you
To make you more
Worthy
Of real happiness,
Just as He
Sends the ice and snow
That makes the
Spring wheat
So brave and strong and useful.
And it's probably
Only a Devil's bluff
About them doin's
At Walkiki
And places like that anyway."
And I come back
Smokin' my pipe
Like a calm faced cow.
And here I am
Drillin' again.
Do you kinda get me ?"

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ON PARLIAMENT HILL

BY A MEMBER OF THE PARLIAMENTARY PRESS GALLERY

Ottawa, May 19th, 1924.—If anything more were needed to emphasize the preponderating sentiment in respect to Canada's reception of the Budget, it was proferred on Friday last, when Parliament adopted by a majority of 112 the fiscal proposals of the acting Finance Minister, Hon. J. A. Robb.

The vote on the Budget was significant in more ways than one. It was, perhaps, the largest ever given to a budget in Canadian history. It confirmed what had been, from the date the Budget was tabled, the opinion of all competent observers; that the endorsation of Parliament would be definite and overwhelming. It proved beyond shadow of doubt that the House of Commons representing all sections and all classes of the Dominion, reflected with fidelity the sober, unbiased opinion of the country in respect to the reductions in freight and production costs, and in respect to lowered taxes and lowered federal expenditures. Last, but not least, it showed a definite line of demarcation, within the Liberal group in the House, between the few Liberals who stand for a straight protective tariff and the great majority of their colleagues, to whom a tariff is an instrument for collecting revenue rather than a fortress of special privilege.

Liberal "bolters" had been expected, in view of the speeches of several on the Government benches, and these were forthcoming. But in very small measure. Four Liberals stood for a reversal toward the protective policy—Messrs: Marler, Euler, McCrea and Raymond—as did one lone Progressive, Elliott of South Waterloo. In each case, the attitude of the members was determined in a large part by the peculiar make-up of his constituency, the whole five parliamentarians being dependent for support upon the voters of highly industrialized urban or semi-urban areas.

CONSERVATIVE LIBERALS.

But there were a few Liberals who did not need to "bolt". One of these, Hon. Walter Mitchell, resigned his seat just before the vote was taken. Another, Sir Lomer Gouin, cancelled his "pair" privilege, and stayed in Quebec City. Another, Jacobs, hurried by train to Montreal, to avoid supporting the government. Three others were away from no motive such as prompted those above named, including Hon. Chas. Murphy, who is in the United States.

And what shall be said of his scampering away on the eve of a vote ? Just this : That the issue has been made, protection vs. revenue tariff ; that those who are at heart protectionists are detaching themselves from the party. As one prominent Liberal member (not a member) put it on the night of the vote : "The Tories are pulling out of the Liberal party. A few Liberals, in name but these, no doubt, will soon slough off and find for themselves company more congenial—perhaps across the floor."

THE PREMIER AS HIS BEST.

Members and newspapermen who are above prejudice in the matter, and who are competent by years of experience to pass such an opinion, were unanimous in declaring that the speech of Right Hon. Mackenzie-King, on the evening of third reading, was his finest forensic effort of his life, thus far. Warmed up by the flashing sword-play of the leader of the opposition, feeling the effect of blood drawn by the taunts of the Conservative group, cheered by the thunderous applause of his own followers, Mr. King excelled anything he had done before, at least within the walls of Parliament, and on his conclusion won for himself an ovation that felt an echo even in the crowded galleries of the Chamber.

QUEBEC STAYS LIBERAL.

And where, then, were those who had perdicted a revolt of the Liberals from Quebec ? Sadly discomfited, surely. For never since he became Premier did the members of his group who come from the lower province rally round their leader as in the hour of trial, before division. From Quebec members came the cheers that answered each element period ; Quebec members were first to thump their desks as point after point of the Premier's indictment was driven home, and Quebec members were those who voted with the heartiest goodwill for the triumph of a policy of tariff production and for the termination of that one-sided "stability" so dear to the hearts of vested privileges behind the protective tariff walls.

Quebec to-day is apparently more thoroughly and soundly Liberal than on the day when the Budget was brought down. Conservatives who had built up fond hopes of securing 30, 40 or 50 seats in the lower province—and their estimates cover that optimistic gamut—got cold comfort in the vote on the Budget and now are wondering wherein their 'dope' went wrong.

THE ISSUE IN A NUTSHELL.

The high-lights of the speeches of both the leader of the Opposition and of the leader of the Government have already been reflected in the press and need not be reviewed here. Mr. E. J. Crerar's succinct summing of the main issue gives the case in a nutshell : "If there is any meaning in words, by my right honourable friend (Mr. Meighen) they mean that if he is returned to power and the party he leads resumes the reins of office there is no further chances of reductions in the tariff, but there is a certainty that the tariff will go up. But if the Governments policy, as elaborated by the Prime Minister, means anything it means that the fiscal policy of this country is to be shaped upon the principle of developing the great national wealth—of this Dominion."

The closing days of the debate served to uncover the first "Progressive Protectionist" to appear in Canadian politics. It had long been understood that William Elliott, (South Waterloo) would probably find the Budget unacceptable to him, as it had been to his Liberal colleague from the same country, W. D. Euler.

At the same time it came somewhat as a surprise to a case-hardened House to hear one of Mr. Forke's followers stand in his place an argue (chiefly by implication) for the "preservation of industry" (per the principle of protection), and extol the benefits to agriculture of the "home market." Mr. Elliott based his decision to oppose the Budget on a conviction that inquiry by a Tariff Board should precede any alterations of fiscal policy and stated that, in accepting nomination on the Progressive ticket, he had made this a specific condition of candidature.

READ NOT ORATORS.

Speech-reading, or lip-reading, is a Commercial Art, and few Members have the temerity to read from written copy their entire remarks, but they were so few in number as to be quite notable. This year, Hon. J. A. Robb, acting in the room and stead of Right Hon. Mr. Fielding, decided that he better not trust to extemporaneous speech, or even to notes, in declaring the Budget. He (when time permitted) read from typed manuscript, from beginning to end. That set the example, which has been followed by scores of his colleagues, to the dismay of many of the "elder statesmen," who can recall from personal acquaintance the forensic giants of an earlier day. It is distinctly irregular and out of order for a member of Parliament to read his speech, but the Speaker is loath so it is whispered, to enforce the rule, now that its breaking has become so much "the thing." In this connection, it is worth while noting that no man in the Chamber can so charm the House with his chaste diction and the graceful, easy flow of his periodic sequences as W. G. Raymond (Brantford)—and Mr. Raymond's physical affliction is his inability to see even clearly typed notes.

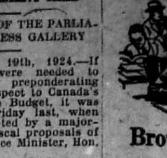
Not Forgetting the Ale.

One may quote the very substantial bill of fare of a maid of honor at the Court of Henry VII. Every morning at breakfast she was entitled to "one chyne of beef from the kitchen, one chete loaf and mauncher and one gallon of ale at the buttery bar." For the middle-day dinner, beside's further allowance of bread and another gallon of ale, the maid of honor got "a mess of beef, a stroke of roast and a reward from the kitchen." In place of the afternoon tea of our days a further "mauncher" of bread and also a further "gallon of ale at the buttery bar" were available. For supper the menu was "a messe of pottage, a messe of mutton and a reward from the kitchen," plus a "caste of chete bread from the pantry bar, and a gallon of ale at the buttery bar." There was a sort of "nightcap" after this: "half a gallon of ale from the cellar bar," with "a chete loaf and a mauncher from the pantry bar." The daily allowance of ale—four and a half gallons in all—seems to have been generous indeed.

London's Tree.

To-day it is computed that sixty per cent. of the trees in London, England, are plane trees. Although the plane originally came from Greece and the Near East, it is the tree which flourishes more than any other in the smoke-laden atmosphere of the metropolis. It also has the advantage of being a remarkably quick grower.

The oldest plane trees of whose actual planting we have any record were put there as seedlings in 1789. Perhaps the largest plane tree in the city is found in the old churchyard of St. Dunstan's-in-the-East, hard by Billingsgate; it is eighty feet high and flourishing in spite of its congested surroundings. In 1772 a writer remarked on the beauty of the planes at St. Dunstan's, and said that they were then forty feet high, so that they must have been planted about the middle of the eighteenth century.



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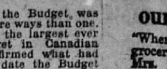

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

BY REV. W. H. GRIFFITH THOMAS, D.D.

Sunday, June 1.—The Babylonian Exile of Judah (II Kings 24 to 25 ; II Chronicles 36).

The history of Judah may be said to extend from Egypt to Babylon, and to comprise, roughly, about 1,000 years. It is unutterably sad that a people who were selected by God as His special representatives should have so entirely failed to show the surrounding nations something of God's character of holiness and love. And now come the closing scenes where the chosen people are taken away from their country in dishonour and disgrace.

I.—The Character of the Captivity

The exile was marked by three stages, and it is a help to the memory to associate each section with a particular king and also with a prophet who was taken captive at the same time.

1. First stage : reign of Jehoiakim. After the death of Josiah, whose reforms came far too late, the kingdom lasted for about twenty-four years, with four kings. The first and third reigned only three months each, and the second and fourth eleven years each. Josiah's immediate successor was the second son, Jehoahaz, but the King of Egypt would not allow him to occupy the throne because he was thought to be hostile to Egypt. The Egyptian monarch put the eldest son on the throne and he was permitted to reign for eleven years, paying a heavy annual tribute. His name was Jehoiakim, but three years before the end of his reign the power of Egypt was broken, the King of Judah became servant to Nebuchadnezzar, King of Babylon, and then his wretched reign came to and end. Daniel was taken to Babylon at this time.

2. Second stage ; reign of Jehoiachin. He was only 18 years of age when Nebuchadnezzar permitted him only a three months' reign and then carried him away with the royal family to Babylon. This king was the son of Jehoiakim and is sometimes called Coniah or Jeconiah. Ezekiel was taken away with this deportation.

2. Third stage ; reign of Zedekiah. He was the third son of Josiah and was put on the throne by Nebuchadnezzar, but he was a mere vassal, and his sinful folly drove him to rebellion, with the result that Jerusalem was taken and entirely destroyed in the year 586 B.C. Jeremiah's name is associated with this stage though he was not taken captive to Babylon, but escaped to Egypt. It has often been pointed out how these various troubles were met by the prophets Jeremiah and Ezekiel. Jeremiah seems to have scorned special hopes (Jer. 29 : 10-19), and he showed no pity for Jehoahaz (Jer. 22 : 10-12). Ezekiel expressly declares the hopelessness for Jehoiachin in the form of a lamentation (Ezek. 19 : 14), while he utters strong words of indignation against the unworthy Zedekiah (Ezek. 21 : 25-27).

It is important to remember that the Babylonian exile was not a captivity in the sense of being cast into prisons, but were expatriated. While only a minority were carried away, the majority of the leadership of the people, and it effectually broke the national spirit.

II.—The Causes of the Exile.

It is usual to distinguish between the moral and the moral but the two will be seen to be ultimately and directly connected. It was the unwillingness to obey God's will and keep themselves free from the affairs of the surrounding nations that they fell. Isaiah had long before ed Isaiah's advice to hold themselves aloof from both Egypt and Assyria, with Babylonia, they might have remained much longer as a testimony to the great truth : "Them that honor Me I will honor."

1. Political. Between Egypt and Mesopotamia there was frequent war, and the coast line of the Mediterranean was the easiest and most natural military road. As Israel and Judah were never strong enough to be regarded as enemies by either great country or the other, there was a constant temptation for either Egypt or else Assyria, and afterward Babylon, to make the two nations of Israel and Judah tributary. But these facts, together with the attitude of politicians in Judah itself, led inevitably to the capture of Jerusalem by Nebuchadnezzar. When Babylon defeated Egypt in the days of Josiah it was only a question of time for Judah also to be taken.

2. Moral. But, of course, the fundamental explanation of all this trouble was the wilful disobedience of the people to the plainest commands of God. Jeremiah predicted it for forty years, and gave graphic pictures of it. For 14 years, Ezekiel himself a captive had sent his warnings to Jerusalem, but the two stages mentioned above were not sufficient for them, and so to make His work of judgment as complete as His other work. Prophet after prophet was unheeded and his message refused. Then followed the unspeakable horrors of famine and pesilence and the city came to an end in the midst of terrible blood shed. Something of Jeremiah's feelings can be seen in Lamentations.

III.—The Consequences f the Exile.

Some of the results of the exile can be seen in certain Psalms (Ps. 89 : 137), but God overruled this period of 70 years to bring about some of the most wonderful results in the history of the people. They never fell into idolatry again. They recognized as never before the importance of the Hebrew scriptures, and while many of the Jews never returned to Palestine, being too much occupied with material prosperity, those who did were the earnest, true-hearted followers of God, who believed His promises. The captivity was not the end of the Jewish national existence, for there was to be a great future. Babylon was like a great furnace that purified the Hebrew gold.

IV.—Lessons for To-day.

1. The limits of God's mercy will assuredly be reached. The picture of God at this time shows His absolute yet stern righteousness. So it is always, "God is not mocked, for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

2. God's punishments often come through human and even unworthy instruments. Babylon, though sinful, was used to bring divine judgment on God's people.

3. The special reminder for everyone is that sins often grow while we do not realize them, and yet, we must never forget : "Be sure your sin will find you out." Disobedience sooner or later brings difficulty, proceeds to grievous sin, and ends in disaster and in death.

Where Time Does Not Count

Chinese do not hurry in important matters. For instance, when a large piece of jade is found a council of artists is called to determine exactly what shape it had best be cut to, owing to its extreme hardness, the form selected must follow somewhat the outline indicated by the natural formation of the specimen. If the artist chosen to perform the delicate task succeeds, he will be highly honored and rewarded, but success depends upon his work being approved after it has been subjected to public criticism for a whole year. If, at the end of that time, his work should be condemned, his reputation as an artist is irretrievably lost. With a thin pieces of finely tempered brass wire the artist may work for years without having anything to show. Twenty years has not been considered too long for a single piece of carving.

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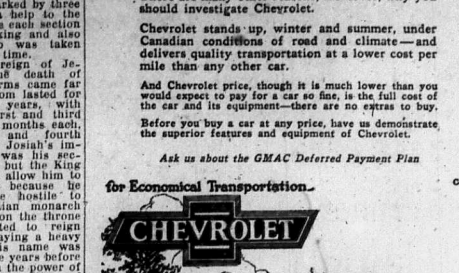

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Inset—A carved Maori home.
Bottom left—Kawa Gate, Rotorua. Right—In George Sound.

Geographically considered, New Zealand is the equal of the South Pacific. It has much the same varied configuration, the same abundance of bays and harbors, and like Japan, lies about midway between the tropics and the pole. New Zealand is, too, a land of never fading verdure.

Canadian Pacific officials report that in recent years tourist travel from Canada, and from Europe through Canada, to New Zealand has shown a remarkable increase. From the earliest days of settlement the fame of New Zealands wonderful scenic attractions has spread abroad and they are now regarded as without equal by their kind in the world. Within the compass of the two main islands are found virgin forests full of remarkable subtropic vegetation with many rare and beautiful flowers; wonderful thermal regions cover a wide area in the centre of the North Island where volcanoes, geysers, boiling springs and countless other manifestations of natures titanic hidden forces are manifest. The lakes and fiords of the South Island are of an unimaginable grandeur and magnificence, and the country provides excellent sport for the fisherman or big game hunter, with its trout and salmon filled rivers, and the fine deer herds of the interior.

At Roturna, on the Northern Island, may be studied many interesting phases of Maori life, for here the Maori still retains most of the old customs and traditions of his storied past, and all through the country one comes upon him paddling his canoe up or down the wonderful rivers, much as his fathers did before the advent of white man. Little native villages of carved homes dot the river banks and roads. Aukland is the chief port of the Northern Island and is the calling place of the Canadian Australasian line of steamships.

The South Island is rich in scenic attractions, and its marvelous fiords are unsurpassed by those of any country in the world. The great range of Southern Alps running from north to south through this island, is capped by many superb peaks, and huge glaciers, rushing snow-fed rivers provide a never ending source of enjoyment and pleasure.

The city of Dunedin, with its busy shipping port possesses many attractions for the visitor and is next year to be the scene of the New Zealand Exhibition. This Exhibition will embrace all industries and resources of the Antipodes, many international features and will attract visitors from practically every corner of the world.

Say It Quick.

The late Mrs. Alexander P. Moore (Lillian Russell) was noted for her knowledge of human nature. "Mrs. Moore," a Pittsburg girl said to her one day, "how many times should you make a man propose before you say 'yes'?" "If you have to make him propose," said Mrs. Moore, "you'd better say 'yes' the first time."

Reminded.

Absent-minded Professor. — And who are you, my little man?
"I'm your caddy, sir."
"Quite so; quite so. I'm playing golf, am I not?"—Judge.

U. S. Farmers' Bad Times.

United States newspapers tell us that seventeen out of every 200 farm owners in the 15 corn and wheat producing states lost their farms between 1920 and the spring of 1923 Hard times "wiped them out." Many others would have gone bankrupt, except for the leniency of bankers and other creditors.

About one out of every 100 business firms fail each year in the United States. So the farmer, as an institution, was hit about four times as hard by depression as the average business organization, in the matter of absolute disaster.

CREMATION IN INDIA.

Writer Describes Manner In Which It Is Practiced.

The manner in which cremation is practiced in India is thus described by a writer in a Calcutta paper:

In the Simla Hills there is a place, a rather pretty ravine quite near a railway station, where bodies are burnt. I discovered the spot by chance one day, when I was butterfly collecting. I chased a fine Antiopa down the khud. It flashed its metallic green wings just ahead of me and then suddenly settled on a large dock-leaf. I caught that Antiopa and put him away in my collecting-box, and sat on a rock for a hard-earned rest. Gazing round the ravine, my eyes fell on black patches in the bed of the boulder-strewn nullah.

These black patches marked the places where bodies had been burnt. There were several spots, black and grey with charred logs and ashes. The work of cremation must have been thoroughly done, for I saw no bones—only charred wood, mingled with some unburnt logs, and a heap of ashes. For some distance down the ravine, every few yards, these relics of Hindu funeral pyres may be seen. Some look as if the work of cremation could not have been performed very long ago. Occasionally, I have come across a rough bamboo bed. It is invariably a crudely made bier, consisting of two long bamboos, still green, with smaller cross-pieces tied on with string.

The other day I witnessed a funeral procession on the way to "Cremation Valley," which is the name I have given to the ravine where the bodies are burnt. Preceding the corpse was a Brahmin priest, clad in salmon robes, clutching a rosary in his hand, and uttering prayers in a low moaning voice. The corpse was placed on a bamboo bier carried by four men. In the cortege I observed three or four men carrying various articles. One had a chatty of ghee, another was holding a basket of sweets, and another was carrying rice. Several coolies passed by, all loaded with huge logs of wood.

The bier and the corpse are placed on a heap of logs and faggots, which are well impregnated with oil; and the sweets, rice, and other gifts are deposited near the corpse. More logs are added and the whole is built up into a rough pyramid. The officiating Brahmin priest prays for the dead, and then the logs are set alight all round. In a few seconds the smoke rises upwards in dense clouds and tongues of flame lick up the wood.

The fire grows in volume and the thick logs crackle like match-sticks. A supply of wood is at hand, and the friends and relatives of the deceased from time to time add a log or two. I noticed that when fuel was added, the man who placed his log in the flames folded his hands together and muttered a prayer. The whole ceremony is over inside an hour. Charred wood and ashes are all that remain. A noteworthy fact about these cremations is that no women attend.

A blue veil hangs over the ravine, and thin wisps of smoke twist and curl among the branches of the stately deodars and the feathery pines—the wraiths of those who have been consumed in the fire, the lost souls of them that have departed this life.

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E. W. Beatty, K.C.

The annual statement of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the report which the company's president, E. W. Beatty, made to the shareholders at the annual meeting are matters of first rate interest, not only to the fast growing number of Canadian citizens who are part owners in the great railroad, but to all interested in Canadian progress and development. By reason of the way in which the company's operations touch all phases of Canadian life and enterprise there can be no pronounced depression or prosperity in any part of the country without its being reflected in the earnings of the Canadian Pacific. There is a barometer of the country's foreign trade also in the results of the operations of the company's steamships upon the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.

Thus there was considerable reason for gratification in the president's statement made at the annual meeting on May 7th, that the operations of the company had been conducted throughout 1923 in a satisfactory manner and with satisfactory results. Mr. Beatty pointed out that gross earnings for the year, which had totalled $195,857,089, were greater by $9,162,000 than those of 1923. Working expenses, however, increased by $7,984,000 to $150,358,079. This large increase in operating costs was due to large expenditures made upon the property in order that it might be kept to the highest possible physical standard and capable of rendering the best possible service to the community. As a result the property was never in so excellent a condition as it now is. Net earnings for the year were $37,479,010, an increase of $1,177,000.

The total tonnage moved by the company during the year amounted to 30,852,994, an increase over that of the previous year of 3,108,408, due to a heavier movement of grain, lumber, manufactured articles and general merchandise, the largest increase being in grain and grain products. Mr. Beatty pointed out that this satisfactory condition had extended well into the present year and that due to favorable operating conditions and heavy traffic net earnings for the first quarter of 1924 had increased over those of the same period last year by $1,253,814.

Referring to the Government system of railroads, Mr. Beatty said that the difference between it and the Canadian Pacific was largely in name only and in the accident of personnel of shareholders. The securities of both systems were covered by private investors throughout the world and there was a significant steady increase in both Canadian and British holdings of Canadian Pacific common stock. Two phases of the general railway situation called for criticism. Under a statute passed in 1919 the Government-owned lines may construct branches, with approval as to location and other details by the Railway Commission. Thus they may yield business to the railway lines of any other line, by once the Minister approves and parliament authorizes the expenditure. Mr. Beatty stated that in his opinion he was equally in the interests of the Canadian people and of all Canadian railroads that the latter course should be in the same position in this respect. The other phase was the result of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement of 1897. It had established special statuary freight rates under conditions of operating costs which no longer exist and which forces its rates which would not be permitted under the general Railway Act because of their unfairness in relation to commodity rates on other articles and to the rates effective in other parts of Canada. The greatest advantage to shippers as a whole would be secured if all rates were made subject to review and change as conditions warrant by the tribunal constituted for that purpose.

In referring to the outlook for the future, Mr. Beatty said that while there was a noticeable lull in domestic and export shipments due in part to unsettlement in industrial districts, general business during the first quarter of the year had been satisfactory. The crop acreage would probably be about the same as last year and, generally speaking, soil conditions were excellent. "If the total yield approaches that of 1923," said Mr. Beatty, "there will undoubtedly be a very extensive autumn business and a vastly improved psychological and financial situation throughout the whole country. There is no real ground for pessimism in respect of the future of either the company or the country, though an extraordinary and too rapid advance is neither to be expected nor desired."

Nothing on Australia.

A good story, told by the Australian premier, Mr. Bruce, is being told in London. It should be known that Australia is just larger than the United States. Not many people realize that.

An American, says Mr. Bruce, was boasting about the size of his country to a man from "down under."

"There's a ranch in my country," said the American, "so big that the owner got on his horse one Monday morning, and, having gone the round of the boundary fence, returned on the following Saturday night."

"Why, that's nothing," retorted the Australian. "In my country there are dairy farms where we send newly married couples out to milk the cows, and their kiddies bring in the milk."

A Stone Coffin.

A stone coffin was found by workmen making excavations at the bowling green at The Tower, Bridgeness, Scotland. The coffin is said to belong to the Roman period. Credence is lent to this belief by virtue of the close proximity of the ground to the eastern termination of Antonine's Wall. It was at this same part that in 1868 a legionary tablet, said to belong to the Wall of 139, was found.

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Told By the Marines.

At a luncheon following the presentation of a film, the proceeds of which are to go to the "Save the Victory Fund," Admiral Sir Doveton Sturdee told an amusing story.

A suggestion was put forward to the effect that the film might be made more interesting to women by the introduction of Nelson's love affair with Lady Hamilton.

Whereupon Admiral Sturdee related how he once heard a marine, who was conducting a party of visitors round the Victory, exclaim, pointing to a particular chair in the cabin: "This 'ere's the chair Lady 'Amilton used to sit in when she came to visit Nelson."

"Well?" queried a lady guest.

"Unfortunately," said Sir Doveton drily, "Lady Hamilton never set foot on board the Victory."

Making Millions From Invention.

David Masters, author of "The Romance of Excavation," published recently, is an inventor as well as an author. Talking with Sir Robert Hadfield, he mentioned that he had sold an invention at a good price. The great steel master smiled sadly.

"You are lucky," he said. "The world is making at least £10,000,000 a year out of my invention of manganese steel, but I have never got a penny out of it!"

De Cosmos and Sir John.

Here is another story of Amor de Cosmos—a story once told by the late Walter Moberly, the engineer who ran the first exploratory surveys for the C.P.R. through the Rockies.

In the seventies a dinner was given by Sir John Macdonald at Ottawa in honor of the members from British Columbia, and Mr. Moberly and Capt. Hamilton, a brother of Lady Dufferin, were among the guests. De Cosmos was late in arriving, and prior to his arrival Capt. Hamilton began chatting in a humorous way about the change of name. The captain failed to note De Cosmos' appearance as that gentleman came in, and continued his chaffing, although by this time the other was only a few seats farther down at the table. It was impossible to call Capt. Hamilton's attention by word of mouth, and so Sir John slipped down from his chair, as if reaching for something he had dropped, and until his prominent nose was almost level with the table. Then, extending a leg past the two guests immediately on his own left, Sir John kicked the captain on the shin. The captain started, realized what he was doing, and quickly changed the flow of conversation as Sir John slipped back into his seat. Meantime Amor de Cosmos, who saw what Sir John had done, and knew why he had done it, never moved a muscle of his face.

Stolen Goods!

Never were there greater looters and plunderers than the soldiers of Napoleon Bonaparte. That subtle leader of men never curbed such propensities. For one thing, he was fond of loot himself, as all the records show.

In Italy one of Napoleon's soldiers tore down from an altar a painting by the renowned Titian, representing "The Rising of Lazarus. When Jerome Bonaparte, Napoleon's brother, went to the United States, he carried this famous painting with him, to Baltimore. William C. Anderson, a piano manufacturer of New York, bought it for $10,000, and has it yet. To-day it is valued at $300,000!

A BRITISH CEMETERY

BEAUTIFUL RESTING PLACE AT LAKE GENEVA.

In a Fair Spot Under Unfathomable Blue Skies Are Gathered the British Prisoners Who Died In Captivity In Switzerland — Among Them Are Ten Canadians.

At Vevey on Lake Geneva there is a little spot of earth consecrated by the British Government to be a place of abiding rest for eighty-two of its valiant sons and two Hindus who gave their lives for King and country in the great war. Here are gathered in one melancholy enclosure all the British prisoners who died in captivity in Switzerland. Beside the Old Country soldiers there are ten Canadians and several Australians and New Zealanders. The large space set aside to their glorious dead by the municipality of Vevey as a memorial was inaugurated in the presence of the British Minister from Berne and a large concourse of people on the fourth of last June, but only recently have those who died at the greatest distance been brought and interred with their fellows. It is now complete.

The site chosen for their repose is in the cemetery of old Saint Martin, on the summit of a gradual slope high above the lake, and embracing views in all directions of rare and exquisite beauty. A low stone coping surmounted by a hedge of box marks off the plot from its surroundings. At one end, looking west, rises a lofty stone cross from its massive pedestal on the face of which in high relief is placed a colossal sword of golden bronze, and below is the inscription: "Their name shall live for evermore."

Three granite steps take one to the level of a straight path which leads to the foot of the cross, where all flower offerings are placed. This path is bordered in September by a wide band of brilliant begonias contrasting with the flat greenward that covers the graves. These are in two rows flanking the path, and marked by headstones a few feet high of cream colored limestone like the great cross. On each is chiseled a small cross and the insignia of their country and regiment, their name and age below. The Canadians bear the maple leaf. Sometimes a few words are added, like, "Greater love hath o man." All are so young, the eldest thirty, the youngest twenty-one, of whom are the majority. The highest in rank lie nearest the cross. Lowly sleep the poor British corporal and his soldier friend who escaped from their German prison only to be shot while swimming the Rhine by the enemy patrol pursuing them. Their bodies were washed up on the Swiss shore and by the Swiss reverently buried, whence they were conveyed hither to repose in honor with their unfortunate brothers in death. All Christian cults and creeds are equal in this blood-acre, but it is pathetic to see the two lone stones behind the cross and outside the Christian coping of the Hindus whose religious faith scorned sepulchre with their comrades in arms. Yet from the sides of their graves, at equal distance apart, and at the head of the avenue of dead, spring three lofty, mourning cypresses, emblems of the Trinity, watching as steadily over their dust as that of their dissenting allies.

An amphitheatre of variegated and irregular hills falls away to the north, east and west, overhung at noon with an unfathomable blue sky against which they loom, and at twilight gathering purple shadows that melt all into a dreamless unreality, while the cypresses gently sway, and the silence is sweet.

Just below at the entrance to the cemetery stands the venerable temple of Saint Martin, within whose walls, strangely enough, lie the bones of the regicides Ludlow and Broughton, responsible for the death of, King Charles I.

The strains of its great organ are often wafted on the breeze up the slope and dissolve in benediction over the heroic dead. Deep down to the south and east lie the historic waters of Lake Geneva, iridescent as a dove's wing, and lifting themselves out of its depths rise the Savoy Alps with their eternal snows that appear to guard forever the well-earned sleep of those strangers on the other shore who came from far to help save their patria from destruction.

Surely these eighty-four valiant youths, cut down in the blossom of their age, have the most beautiful earthly resting place of those fallen in the world war. Not a detail is forgotten. Each headstone bears an joyous flower like its p in the harmony of the whole. Love, gratitude and reverence mark every expression of the inanimate objects at the disposal of the designers. It would be a hard Anglo-Saxon heart who could gaze unmoved on this sacred spot and be witnessed the prostrate condition of these unhappy men when they first entered this country as prisoners of war, where they left hope behind!

And what has their great sacrifice achieved? After five years the world seems worse than when they died for it. Yet one turns away with hope—hope for the ultimate triumph of the noble principles for which they shed their blood.

And as the stars come out, distant sentinels of this sacred camp, we feel that here, at least, dwells perpetual peace, to which only those who die attain.

Didn't Know Wife's Name.

His wife's name was unknown to F. Gudgeon, of Waltham Cross, Eng., although they had been married for 29 years. Gudgeon was giving evidence on behalf of his wife in a case at the Waltham Abbey (County) Court when the judge complained that in some of the documents Mrs. Gudgeon was referred to as Florence Emily, and in others as Emily Florence. "Which is her correct name?" asked the judge. "I don't know," admitted Gudgeon.

Speaker of U. S. House.

The Hon. F. H. Gillett, whose re-election as Speaker of the U. S. House of Representatives was held up for two days by insurgent Republicans, thus preventing organization of Congress, has been a member of the House since 1893, representing the Second Massachusetts district.

He is a native of Massachusetts, and was born at Westfield on October 16, 1851, son of Edward Bates and Lucy Douglas (Fowler) Gillett. He received his education at Amherst University, taking degrees of A.B., M.A., and LL.D. He later took the LL.B. degree from Harvard. He married, on November 25, 1915, Charlotte Rice Hoar, widow of Congressman Rockwood Hoar, of Worcester, Mass.

Mr. Gillett started the practice of the law at Springfield, Mass., in 1877. He was assistant Attorney-General of Massachusetts House of Representatives from 1890 to 1891. He was first elected Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington on May 18, 1919.

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Thursday, May 29th, Ascension Day :

St. John's Church, Selby—Solemn Matins and sermon, 10.30 a.m.

St. Jude's Church, Kingsford—Solemn Vespers and sermon, 7.30 p.m.

Sunday, June 1st :

St. John's Church, Selby—Evensong, 2.30 p.m.

St. Jude's Church, Kingsford—Matins, 10.30 a.m.

JAMES HUTTON, Rector.

Firemen Get a Run.

During the noon hour on Saturday, the firemen had a call to the home of Mrs. W. F. Hall to extinguish a fire in the barn. The firemen responded promptly and by their splendid work soon had the fire under control. A very heavy south wind was blowing at the time and the blaze looked rather nasty for a while. A metal roof on the barn helped the firemen to keep the blaze inside the structure. The upper part of the barn was badly gutted. The fire originated from some burning rubbish near the building.

Special Train Service Toronto to Owen Sound account General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

For the convenience of delegates attending the above conference, the Canadian National Railways are operating special train from Toronto to Owen Sound on Wednesday, June 4th, leaving Union Station at 12.20 p.m., standard time, arriving at Owen Sound 5.45 p.m.

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Bowling.

The Bowling season was opened on Wednesday afternoon with a splendid attendance of members on hand for the opening games. A number of new members were present and enjoyed their first game. There will probably be one or two new rinks formed and prospective members should hand in their names to the secretary at once. Following are the rinks as formed at present :

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T. B. German	
P. Gleeson, sk.	W. Doller, sk.
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H. Laughlin, sk.	M. Taylor, sk.
E. L. Bedore	Mr. Cowle
E. McLaughlin	U. M. Wilson
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C. H. Hambly	
W. Smith, sk.	C. I. Maybee, sk.
Rev. Coleman	M. P. Graham
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GREY OLD FORT NIAGARA.

Site Has Been a Military Post Since 1679.

Behind the grey walls on the left as you enter the Niagara river on the boat from Toronto is old Fort Niagara, with clustering legends and stories which make it one of the most interesting landmarks in the lake region. Anxiety that the walls may collapse from the ceaseless beating of Lake Ontario has led to a renewal of interest and an agitation for its preservation.

The site has been continuously occupied as a military post since La Salle built the first fortification there in 1679, and Etienne Brule, who descended the Humber river in 1615, is believed to have passed that way in the following year. The two-storey stone house by the river mouth to-day was built by the French in 1727. After the capture of Canada by the British in 1759 the British were in occupation of Fort Niagara until 1796. It was handed over to the Americans when the boundary disputes following the Revolution were settled. Sir William Johnson who married Molly Brant, a sister of Joseph Brant, ruled from this primitive castle in the wilderness for sixteen years.

Tragedy stalked ever on the heels of romance in those high-spirited days, when rival nations jockeyed for place in America's race for life, we are reminded by the New York Times. And this military post guarding the gateway to unexplored lands or reputed wealth was naturally the scene of fatal encounters between the red men and the white. The Devil's Hole massacre, which took place three and a half miles below the famous falls, chalked up a heavy British life toll, but resulted in a treaty of peace with the Senecas and the acquisition of 100,000 acres of land in the name of Great Britain.

Years before, Rene La Salle, on the eve of staking out his early fort, had been taken by a venerable hoary warrior of one of the Indian tribes to visit the Devil's Hole. The old man had shaken a menacing finger at the eager explorer and told him to go back to his native land.

During the Revolutionary War expeditions from Fort Niagara plundered and scalped. There was a time when the old fort became known as the prize scalp market, white scalps at one time reaching a market value of $8.

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ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS.

Author of Battle Hymn Married a Factory Girl.

When Rev. Sabine Baring-Gould died at his home in England recently, his prolific pen was stilled, but, of his many works in poetry and prose, the Christian church will keep immortal, through countless generations yet unborn, that stirring, martial, devotional song, and his name will live as millions sing "With the Cross of Jesus going on before."

Written in 1865, it never has lost its hold on the hearts of men battling for ideals. In the world war bands played the hymn while the youth of the warring nations rushed to the colors, and in the camps of armed men there rose the strain:

"We are not divided, all one body we"

The hymn was fortunate in finding a composer like Sir Arthur Sullivan to express its spirit in music.

"Onward, Christian Soldiers" was written on White Monday in a Yorkshire village where young Baring-Gould was then curate, as a marching song for a band of school children and with no thought of publication. He has told the story himself:

"I wanted the children to sing when marching from one village to the other, but could not think of anything quite suitable, so I set up it might resolved to write something myself. 'Onward, Christian Soldiers' was the result. It was written in great haste, and I am afraid that some of the lines are faulty. Certainly nothing has surprised me more than its great popularity."

Dr. Baring-Gould also was a novelist and historian. He would have been ninety years old had he lived until the 28th January. He was one of the few surviving examples of the genuine English squire, living on the estate where his family had lived for almost three centuries.

At the same time, he was a country rector, a lord of the manor, a sermon writer, a student of comparative religion, an extremely popular novelist, a poet, an authority on medieval myths and legends and an antiquarian of note in several branches of research. He is said to have been the most prolific and versatile of English writers, having more than 160 titles to his credit.

In 1872, on the death of his father, Baring-Gould inherited the family estates, those of Lord Trenchard, consisting of 6,000 acres and the crown living that went with it. He lived in a beautiful old Elizabethan manor house where the family had lived since the days of James I.

With this background of birth and breeding the young curate doubtless could have married a lady of high degree if he had wanted to. But instead he fell in love, like the humblest of his country parishioners, with a factory girl, Miss Grace Taylor, and after sending her to a private school where she could be somewhat prepared for the social position she would have to enter, he married her. She died in 1916.

Baring-Gould's novel, "Through Flood and Flame," is said to be autobiographical so far as the details of this romantic courtship are concerned.

Snuff Box Held Diamond.

On her will's wealthy lady of Bath, Eng., bequeathed the famous tortoise shell snuff box in which Thomas Pitt is supposed to have brought from Golconda the famous Pitt or Regent Diamond. The marvellous gem, originally of 410 karats, but cut down to 137 karats, is said to be the most perfect brilliant in existence, though it is not the largest. It was discovered in 1701 in the Parteal mine by a slave, who, according to tradition, was murdered by a seaman, who stole the gem and sold it to a merchant. From the latter Thomas Pitt, governor of Fort St. George, the great-grandfather of William Pitt, bought the diamond for $100,000. He sold it to the Duc d'Orleans, Regent of France, for $650,000. After being some time in the crown of Louis XV., it passed into the hands of Napoleon, who pledged it to the Dutch Government in order to equip an army. It is now the property of the French nation. In 1791 it was declared to be worth $2,200,000.

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TUESDAY, FRATERNAL DAY—All Fraternal Societies in parade, including three County Orange Lodges, with Ball Games and Horse Races in the afternoon. Grand Pageant and Fireworks at night.

WEDNESDAY—School children parade and sing song with Band Concerts and Ball Game in the afternoon. Fireworks and Pageant at night.

THURSDAY—Industrial Parade with Band Concerts. Horse Races and Sports in the afternoon and dancing on the streets at night.

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NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put Into Handy and Attractive Shape for Perusal by the Readers of Our Paper.

TUESDAY.

Ogdenburg, N.Y., swept by disastrous fire.

Australian Labor is peeved at British tain's tariff.

Boston Red Sox defeated Detroit Tigers 9—1.

Canadian women to be received at Court function.

Digit is winner of Woodstock Plate at Woodbine Park.

Three nations join to prevent Russia seizing Bessarabia.

Labor in Australia is indignant at Britain's new tariff policy.

Three liners are carrying Japanese brides to the United States.

Peterboro' eagerly awaiting power development on St. Lawrence.

"Jamie" Brown as deputy of King takes possession of Holyrood Palace.

U. S. Senate overrides President's veto, and passes Soldiers' Bonus Bill.

Severe frosts, with snowdrifts, reported from three prairie provinces.

Concerted attack is made by adherents of Left on President Millerand.

Western Association soccer trophies are destroyed by fire at Owen Sound.

Government bought Daly property in Ottawa in 1921 for one million dollars.

Cooke's Presbyterian Church, Toronto, is observing seventy-third anniversary.

United States professional golf stars likely to compete for Canadian open title.

Australian Federation may form a new state of northern part of New South Wales.

Proposal of railways for new classification of freight rates opposed by Canadian Council of Agriculture.

Amendments to Militia Act regarding use of troops in strikes, are being prepared, Hon. James Murdock tells House.

WEDNESDAY.

Northwest Toronto by-election is set for July 7.

Rain and snow extinguish fires in northern bush.

Senate at work proposes suspension of British preference.

Pitcher Wisner of Rochester wins seventh straight game.

Toronto Scottish beat Davenport Albions by four to three.

Toronto International beaten by Syracuse in eleven innings.

Chicago Nationals go into second place, New York to third.

French leaders of Left willing to withdraw troops from Ruhr.

Maj.-Gen. Sir Charles W. Robinson, of noted Canadian family, is dead.

Mr. Justice Eberts of the Appeal Court of British Columbia is dead.

Russia willing to pay pre-war debt to Britain if loan can be obtained.

E. F. Whitney's Gymkhana wins Victoria Stakes at Woodbine Park.

Objection to harvest excursions voiced by Eastern members in Commons.

Two banks are searched for documents pertaining to Peter Smith's accounts.

Five lives were lost in the wreck of the steamer Orinoco on Lake Superior.

"Jamie" Brown, Lord High Commissioner, opens General Assembly of Scottish Church.

Sir Edward Goschen, British Ambassador to Berlin at the outbreak of the war, is dead.

Dr. Hastings, M.O.H., Toronto, says dieting of children for athletic contests injuries their health.

War clouds grow blacker on Bessarabian frontier. Soviet masses troops. Rumania get arms.

A son of Harry Simes, Tillsonburg, dies from eating poison fungus, thinking it was mushrooms.

A bandit was shot dead by a Winnipeg policeman when he was escaping with $7,000 from a bank.

Hamilton woman sends C.N.R. $50 "conscience money" for free rides taken by father many years ago.

Willie Walster, 13 years old, was drowned at Norman Lake, when he went to the rescue of a companion.

THURSDAY.

King George holds second royal court.

John Johnston, 24, is drowned at Toronto.

Labor aims to make Britain great air port.

Miss Joyce Wethered defeats Miss Cecil Leitch.

Toronto Internationals lose to Syracuse by 6 to 3.

South Waterloo Liberals decide not to contest bye-election.

Murchison wins St. Andrew's College track and field title.

Syracuse University lacrosse team beats University of Toronto.

Mrs. Hannah Chalk, of Wagersville, Ont., burned to death.

Residents of North Scarboro' start new agitation for secession.

New Hampshire wins King Edward Gold Cup at Woodbine Park.

Man secures lift in auto in Montreal and is killed in accident.

Lady Astor held sensational meetings in vacant Glasgow riding.

U. S. Government is edging closer to membership in World Court.

Ruhr miners fight soldiers and police during riot—situation grows worse.

RUSSIA REQUIRES LOAN

Is Prepared to Give Concessions For Foreign Capital

M. Zinovieff Makes Exhaustive Review of Internal Situation and Says Under Certain Conditions Russia Is Willing to Pay Part of Her International Obligations.

MOSCOW, May 26.—In a notable speech at the annual convention of the Communist party Sunday, lasting four hours, M. Zinovieff, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Third International, made an exhaustive review of Russia's internal position and the existing international situation. He made many significant references to the Soviet policy respecting Anglo-Russian negotiations, private trading, the new economic policy, the payment of international loans, the granting of concessions to foreigners and the numerical strength of the Communist party.

M. Zinovieff indicated that under certain conditions Russia was willing to pay part of her international obligations, provided she was given a loan of half a million gold rubles at 6 per cent.

Discussing Soviet Russia's policy on concessions, Zinovieff said that the concession field should be greatly narrowed and that the granting of rights in the Baku and Grozny oil fields could not now be entertained.

While Zinovieff urged that the Soviet should sharply limit the number of concessions to foreigners and show the world an example of Russia's own to develop and exploit its own natural resources, he surprised his hearers by telling them that the state already had under consideration nearly one thousand projects which were to be exploited by foreign firms.

Turning to private trading and the new economic policy, M. Zinoveiff admitted that in the matter of foreign trade investment, private capital controlled 64 per cent., while the state and co-operative organizations controlled only 36 per cent.

"It is our aim to reverse these figures," he added.

Zinovieff dwelt lengthily on the achievements of Soviet Russia in its internal affairs, and especially on what he termed the solution of the problem of nationalities. Foreign minorities, he said, had been given the fullest rights in accordance with their legitimate ambitions for national consolidation and development, adding: "We are proud to say that such matters as the Armenian question, the solution of which has baffled the world for generations, has been solved by Soviet Russia; the same is true of Georgia and Ukraine."

He reviewed the growth and future policy of the Communist party, declaring that the party was not threatened by dissension, as the Opposition had predicted, and had made great headway in paving the way to universal communism. He urged the convention to pay greater attention to organization of all the Communist parties, and to check where societies for the further development of communism should be created.

The party during the year, in spite of internal dissensions, had grown much stronger, but Communists would not be content until the party numbered a million members, 900,000 of whom should be workmen.

Charged With Abuse of Office.

OTTAWA, May 26.—In the presence of a full House, Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, Thursday was accused by the member for West Hastings, E. Guss Porter (Conservative) of having misused his position as a Minister of the Crown to secure personal advantage in connection with the withdrawal of $4,000 from the Ontario branch of the Home Bank two days before the failure of that institution.

Counselling a strongly worded indictment of the Minister's alleged conduct, the member for West Hastings moved for an immediate inquiry therefore by the Standing Select Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Minister whom he had accused made a brief reply, to the effect that within the past few days he had returned to the liquidator $1,050 of the moneys withdrawn and shortly would return the balance. He then withdrew from the chamber, amid a tense silence.

Subcommittee appointed to attempt to reach compromise on Church Union.

James Maloney, 45, farmer, dies suddenly at Ashdad, 12 miles from Renfrew.

Ceremony of installing New Knights of the Bath is held in Henry VII. chapel.

Widow of founder of Woolworth stores dies. Her estate is valued at $60,000,000.

Five-year-old Douglas Barlow dies of injuries after being struck down by motor car at Toronto.

Senate shatters records in courts for payment for using his influence with Government departments.

FRIDAY.

Leafs beat Syracuse, 11—8.

Labor Party in Britain wins by-election in Toxieth.

South African general elections to be held on June 17.

Six holidays occur in New York within twelve hours.

Two men were killed in cave-in in British Columbia mine.

Giants oust Reds and take second place in National League.

Hon. Peter Smith was sent up for trial by Toronto magistrate.

First rainfall of season delights farmers in Southern Alberta.

Miss Joyce Wethered regains British ladies' golf championship.

Deep Thought wins Connaught Challenge Cup at Woodbine Park.

Chicago kidnappers murder schoolboy they were holding for ransom.

Popper resolution in Ontario Court introduced into U. S. Senate.

Mrs. Abigail Smith, a pioneer of Lanark County, dies at the age of 101.

Hobo arrested near Port Arthur and sentenced to jail turns out to be a girl.

Soviet delegation in London wants to inter Marx body beside that of Lenin.

Eight Are Drowned.

CASCADE, B.C., May 26.—Eight people were drowned in Christina Lake Sunday afternoon when their launch sank one mile from shore.

Two others clung to the wreckage until saved.

VOICES OF THE EMPIRE

Join In Thanksgiving at Wembley Service

125,000 Representatives of Greater Britain Throng Stadium on Sunday—King and Queen Present—Archbishop of Canterbury Officiates and Delivers Address.

LONDON, May 26.—There must have been nearly 125,000 persons in Wembley Stadium Sunday afternoon to join the King and Queen in an Empire Day thanksgiving service.

Amid solid banks of humanity, from suburban London and towns near by, there were little patches of natives of all parts of the British Empire. A huge splash of white betokened thousands of surpliced choristers and a thin line of men in ill-fitting blue clothes, many of them in invalid chairs, was a grave reminder that the war hospitals are not yet empty.

Needless to say, their Majesties had an almost overpowering reception on their arrival. The proceedings which immediately followed were unmistakably demonstrative of the breadth of the Empire, but were so admirably balanced as to exclude any suggestion of flamboyancy. Trumpeters of the Household Cavalry heralded the procession. Royal Canadian Police, who followed their more soberly uniformed brethren of the Metropolitan Police, were loudly cheered. The same rousing reception was indeed given to every section of the procession. The soldiers of a generation when battles were less bloody were represented by Yeoman of the Guard and Chelsea pensioners.

One phase of war's bitterness was deeply impressed upon the assembly when a line of sightless men from St. Dunstan's marched steadily across the arena. Nurses, Red Cross workers, boys' brigade, girl guides, Girl Guides and Boy Scouts also contributed their quota. The cheering ceased when the ecclesiastical procession came into view. The Archbishop of Canterbury with two pages bearing his train was an impressive figure. Immediately before him was a line of leaders of the Free Churches and the Salvation Army.

The service, which, as his Grace the Archbishop declared, in its address, probably "the largest service that, as a deliberate act, the world has ever seen," was remarkable in its simplicity and attitude of real reverence as manifested by all who took part.

The most arresting moment came when there was silence for a space "for the people of the Empire, their builders of the past and for prayer that the Empire-builders of the present and the future may work together to further God's peace on earth."

School children celebrated Empire Day Sunday by assembling more than ten thousand strong to take part in a pageant at Wembley, where the British Empire Exhibition is located. The contingent of the Dominions appeared in the procession. A choir of a thousand Boy Scouts was another feature, while the Duke of Connaught took the salute. Thousands of musicians from all branches of the army assembled in the stadium was a final feature of the proceedings, making the biggest band the world has ever seen.

Disclosures by Public Printer.

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., May 26.—In a carefully prepared address of 26 typewritten pages, George H. Carter, the Public Printer of the United States, Sunday rounding out with his three years' service in the Government Printing Office, at the convention of the Third District Typographical Federation Saturday night, Corruption, graft, wholesale racetrack gambling and bootlegging flourished unrestrained, he charged, and he "could not understand" why he had not been necessary to dismiss 268 employes, including the Deputy Public Printer and the Chief Clerk of the Printing Office as well as foremen and minor executives.

Mr. Carter uncovered a still in the office of the Superintendent of the trusted messenger between the Government Printing Office and the Capitol was discovered to be bootlegging for months and that numerous employes and foremen were found to be filling requisitions for excessive quantities of grain alcohol for alleged mechanical uses in the establishment, bootlegging generally was an intensively cultivated industry throughout the place. Even boy apprentices were found to be buyers and consumers of illicit liquor.

Girl Takes Poison.

WAUKEGAN, Ill., May 26.—Jannie Heironimus, 15-year-old daughter of a prosperous farmer near Volo, made some pancakes for the family breakfast on Saturday. It was her first attempt to make flapjacks. To-morrow she will be buried, a suicide. The pancakes were not a glittering success and her father admits that he made some joking remarks about them. Jannie was brokenhearted over her failure and the good-natured criticism and fled to her room in tears. Members of the family did not attach much importance to the event, believing that after she had cried for a while she would forget the incident. Instead she swallowed poison, and was dead when, worried by her long absence, some one went to call her.

Prisoner Slugs Guard.

BRANDON, Man., May 26.—Slugging a guard over the head with a towel roller, Hector Lawrence, a 20-year-old prisoner, serving a term in the Provincial jail here for housebreaking, made an unsuccessful attempt to escape Sunday. William Hill, the guard, was severely beaten and is not expected to live. After knocking the guard unconscious, Lawrence dragged him down a stairway and threw him in a dark cell. Lawrence was captured by the jail warden just as he was opening the door leading into the open.

Spider-Web Stockings Are Novelty.

BERLIN, May 26.—Spider-web stockings form one of the novelties of the season on display here. So delicate and expensive are they intended more for show than anything else, they are made of thread so fine that 270 miles would be required to make a pound of silk.

As for the wearing quality of this hosiery, the dealers admit that, after one dance to modern jazz music, the toes and heels would be all out.

COMMITTEE FAVORS HOIST

Amendment to Preamble to Delay Operation of Bill Carries, 27 to 23.

OTTAWA, May 26.—By a vote of 27 to 23, with 14 members absent from the room at the time the vote was called, the Private Bills Committee of the House of Commons Friday morning, after considerable and animated discussion of the Church Union Bill, adopted the amendment to the preamble, moved by William Duff (Liberal, Lunenburg) and seconded by Gordon Wilson (Conservative, Wentworth), endorsing the principle of the bill, but providing that the measure shall not become effective for two years, and then only on condition that the courts, in the action now before the Supreme Court of Ontario, decide that it is constitutional. If the measure is not held constitutional the act shall not become operative under the terms of the amendment.

An analysis of the voting of the committee on this amendment showed 17 Liberals and 10 Conservatives voted for the amendment, while 2 Liberals, 5 Conservatives and 16 Progressives voted against the amendment. Analyzed according to religions or denominations, the vote showed in favor of the amendment 13 Roman Catholics, 17 Presbyterians, 2 Anglicans and 1 member of the Christian Church. Those opposed to the amendment were: 1 Roman Catholic, 8 Presbyterians, 6 Methodists, 2 Congregationalists, 4 Union Church, 1 Baptist and 4 Anglicans.

O. T. A. IS UPHELD

J. T. Smith Appeal Against Appellate Judgment Dismissed.

OTTAWA, May 26.—The Supreme Court on Thursday dismissed the appeal in the case of Smith vs. the Ontario Attorney-General. The Ontario Temperance Act is therefore upheld by the Court.

The basis of the action taken by the appellant Smith was that the Ontario Temperance Act, before the provisions of the Canada Temperance Act were applied to prohibit the importation of liquor into Ontario, was not an Act prohibiting the sale of liquor for beverage purposes, as it allowed the purchase of native wines and the importation and exportation of all liquors. The Attorney-General for Ontario argued that the Act need not be an absolute prohibition, but one prohibiting sale generally would suffice.

Smith is a resident of Toronto. He ordered a case of whisky, some beer and lager from a dealer in Montreal, and the dealer declined to fill the order on the ground that he could not do so under the terms of the Ontario Temperance Act.

Olympic soccer tournament commences.

Lieut.-Col. Thomas Alexander Duff dies suddenly.

Female anarchist in Paris starts hunger strike.

Unemployment in Britain reduced during past week.

John Cuthbert of Guelph wins modified marathon at Bowmanville.

Empire thanksgiving service held at Wembley, at which King is present.

Digit wins Toronto Cup at closing day of Woodbine Park spring meeting.

Lieut. Southam has been unconscious at an Oshawa hospital for 19 days.

Steamer Caledonian ran aground near Cape Chat, Que., but was refloated.

Montreal Conservatives would make tariff reduction issue in by-election.

Victoria Day celebration all over Ontario postponed because of weather.

Conservative candidate wins bye-election in Kelvingrove riding in Glasgow.

Italian Parliament assembles under former conditions of pomp and ceremony.

Brampton, Hamilton, Orangeville and St. Catharines win O.A.L.A. senior games.

William S. Graham, for 18 years registrar of Ontario College of Pharmacy, is dead.

Rev. W. R. Nicholson, Irish evangelist, addresses great gathering in Massey Hall, Toronto.

Women to have delegates at national conventions of parties to nominate presidential candidates.

Population of Brighton suddenly swelled by arrival of three record-sized families from the Old Country.

British Labor Government attacked by delegates of Labor Educational Association meeting at St. Catharines.

Thomas Doig, Toronto, dies of injuries received in motor accident, and James Deady, Jr., is charged with manslaughter.

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Tread lightly, speak softly; for death is already hovering in the chamber. As Roland enters on tiptoe he takes in the scene at a glance. Hamish lying with closed eyes, and the live ball, Miss Nelly, tucked outside beside him, her golden curls mingling with his dark hair. A sea of old Helstonleigh faces seemed to be gathered round; save that Roland silently noted Arthur's absence. He takes notice of none. Edging himself between Annabel and Tom Channing, as they stand side by side, he bends his face of concern forwards. The slight stir arouses Hamish, he opens his eyes, and holds up his feeble hand with a remnant of the old smile.

"Back again! Head bailiff?"

Roland bit his lip. His chest was heaving with emotion, his face working. Hamish, who retained his keenest perceptive faculties to the last, spoke again in his faint voice.

"Is it good news?"

"It's good news. Good news, Hamish, and at the same time awfully bad. Vincent's dead, and I'm—I'm his shoes."

Hamish did not seem to understand. Neither did the others.

"It's me to come after him, poor fellow, you see. I am Sir Roland now."

As the word fell upon the previously silent room, you might have heard a pin fall. Only Hamish, whose eyes looked out their questioning surprise at the speaker. Upon Hamish alone the communication seemed to make no impression: every interest seems were to him now as nothing.

"You will give me Annabel with a will, Hamish, now that I have come into the family inheritance?"

"I had already given her to you, so far as my best will was good to do it," was the answer.

The voice seemed to be fading away altogether, but in the eyes there was an eager gaze. Roland bent his head lower to catch the sounds about to issue from the lips.

"There's a different and a better inheritance, Roland; one of love, and light, and everlasting glory. You will both of you strive for that."

"Yes, that we will. And gain it too. Oh, Hamish, if you could but stop with me a bit longer!" burst forth Roland, letting his suppressed emotion come out with a choking sob. "It's nothing all round but dying. First Vincent, and now you! I never knew such a miserable world as this. I'd have laid down my own life to keep either of you in it."

There stole a smile of ineffable peace over the dying face. It seemed to have caught a ray of the heavenly light in which it would so soon be shining.

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CHAPTER XLIII.

Dreams Realized.

It is certainly not often in this life that impossible dreams of fame and fortune get to be realized as they were in the case of Roland Yorke. Down he went to his native place, Helstonleigh, in all the glory of fame and fortune that his imagination had been wont to picture; the dog, Spot, with him. He paid his creditors their debts twice over; he made presents to his mother and the world; he went knocking at old Galloway's door, and caused himself to be fully announced as he had at Gerald's—Sir Roland Yorke. He ran in and out of the proctor's office at will, took possession of his former stool there, and answered civilly when he were the veritable clerk he used to be. He promised a living to Tom Channing, promotion in India to Charley; and a sweeping away for William Yorke the first time he met him in the street, and called out to know whether he might be shot

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ered a scapegoat still. He put up a tombstone to commemorate the virtues of Jenkins. Meeting Harry Huntley, he nearly cried over Hamish. Hamish Channing's fate was at length in every hearth and home —ah, that he had lived to see it! The good had all come too late for him. Ellen would be wealthy in her own right forth, for her father had regained his fortune; her aunt, with Miss Huntley, had died, and bequeathed to her the whole of hers; and little Miss Nelly was an heiress.

Not immediately, however, had Roland hastened to quit Helstonleigh, and there's something to tell about it. He had affairs to attend to first; and it took him some time to forget his daily sorrow for the dead. Roland's private belief was that he should never cease to mourn for Hamish; should never rise in the morning, or go to rest at night, without thinking of him and Gerald's miserable work. He entered on his abode at Sunny Mead, his home from henceforth, made himself acquainted with his future position, and what his exact revenues would be. In his imperfect way, but honestly to do right, he apportioned out plenty of work for himself, and not much to spend, resolving above all things to eschew a life of frivolity and idleness. Roland would rather have followed the plough's tail day by day, than sink to that. The first few weeks he divided his time between Sunny Mead and London. When in town, he dropped in upon his old friends with native familiarity: prosperity and a title could not change Roland. The office and clerks saw him very often; Mrs. Jones's tea and muffins occasionally suffered by a guest who had a large appetite. He refurnished that tart lady's house for her after a rather sharp battle; for at first Mrs. J. would not accept the boon. The first visitor Roland had on the night of entertaining was Lord Carrick. His white-haired lordship was flourishing in London again, and gave Roland a whole week of his heart-felt genial, good-natured company at Sunny Mead. The thorn in the flesh was Gerald, and it happened that Mr. Gerald's career came to a crisis during the week of Lord Carrick's stay at Sunny Mead. On the last day of it, when they were out in the front, and the peer was imparting to his nephew sundry theories for the best cultivation of land, a servant ran out to

"I told you I should be sure to get on and make my fortune sometime, Sir Galloway."

The old proctor, whose health was failing hopelessly, returned a slighting answer. Roland, without ceremony as usual, had rushed into the office, and was sitting on a high desk with legs dangling. The remark was given in return for some disparaging reservation as to Roland's former doings.

"You made it! Ugh! A great deal of that!"

"Oh—well—I've come into one, at any rate."

"The only way you were ever likely to attain to one. Left to your own exertions, you'd have come back here with holes in your breeches."

"Now don't you be personal, sir," was the laughing rejoinder. "I'm Sir Roland Yorke, you know."

"And a fine Sir Roland you'll be!"

"I'll try to be a good one," said Roland quite humbly, as he caught Arthur's eye—who was seated in the place of state at the head of the office, for the proctor had virtually signed it. "I'm sorry to be cast in trust me now: ask him, else, sir, Hamish knew it also before he died."

"I should like to hear what business he had to die, and who asked him?" cried old Galloway explosively. "It was done amongst you, I know: a nice thing for me, to be called Mr. Arthur's eye—who was seated in the place of state at the head of the office, for the proctor had virtually signed it. "I'm sorry to be cast in trust me now: ask him, else, sir, Hamish knew it also before he died."

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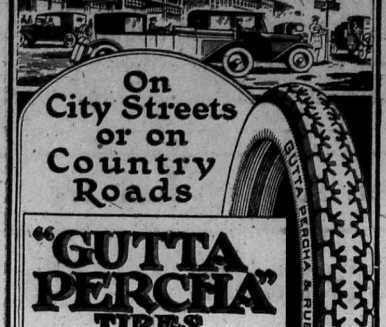
"Yes, I think he was killed among us, up there," sadly avowed Roland, his honest face kindling with shame. "But I did not kill him, sir, as he said I did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WESTERN HONEY.

Manitoba Has Prospects of Soon Being in the Exporting Class.

The honey crop of Manitoba for 1923, is given officially by the apiarist, L. T. Floyd, as 3,041,712 lbs. In 1922 the production was given as 1,800,000 lbs., which is the best indication of the rapid growth of the industry. In the spring of 1922 there were 19,416 hives in Manitoba, which have increased until in the fall 28,152 were reported. That is double the number that were in the province in 1921. The outstanding feature of the honey crop of 1923 is the largest extraction from the individual hive. The average is 156 lbs. of honey. In 1922 it was 123 lbs. and 218 in 1921. As the average yield for the whole of the United States is only 56 lbs., this is a very gratifying yield. It is remarkable to note that even in British Columbia where bloom is so prolific, the yield is very much lower, the average for the Okanagan being only 40 lbs., and many of the districts report an average of only 32 lbs. Manitoba has 1,200 beekeepers. The flavor of Manitoba honey is beginning to be known in other parts of Canada, and honey is a very reasonable prospect of Manitoba soonbeing in theexporting class. In spite of the great increase in production, the market has been the best that the beekeepers of Manitoba have ever had, and there have been few complaints of difficulty in finding a market for the product. Putting the value of the honey at an average of 15c. per lb. on the farms, the return to the beekeepers of Manitoba for this item alone would be $456 258 80, or very close to half a million dollars.

There has been very considerable production of honey in both Saskatchewan and Alberta, but no official figures of production or prices realized have been obtainable.

Bonused for Planting Trees.

Hon. George H. Henry, Ontario Minister of Public Works and Highways, has announced a change in the method of financing the planting of trees along public highways. Instead of sending out its own workmen, he says, the Government has a scheme whereby farmers, planting trees in front of their own property will be bonused so much per tree for planting.

FLIES AND LIVE STOCK

How to Bring Relief to Farm Animals In Summer.

Description of the Stable Fly—The Treatment Usually Offered—Other Remedies Suggested — Stack Threshing Has Advantages.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

The fly is a destroyer of profits. The annoyance that the various types of live stock suffer from this cause during the summer period can be determined with fair accuracy and expressed as loss in pounds of milk, pounds of pork or work not done. Animals get no rest from morning until night. The worry is greatest during the period of greatest light and temperature.

Description of the Fly.

The common stable fly, also known as Stomoxys Calcitrans, resembles the common house fly in size and shape. The stable fly bites much harder, giving quite a sharp sting. It is also a blood sucker and a very persistent tease. The thin skin covering the ears, hocks and abdomen of cattle and horses is the area they attack when bent on satisfying their thirst and hunger. At other times they may rest quietly on the animal's back or on the stable wall. Any person who has to milk cows during the summer period is well acquainted with the annoyance that these little creatures can create. And when the stable fly is ably assisted by the house fly and the horn fly, both, the cow and the milker have anything but a pleasant time in their endeavors to be at least half efficient in milk production. The stable fly breeds principally in decaying refuse, horse manure, rotting straw—materials that are too frequently found quite close to the farm buildings during the summer period when it is possible to keep them at a distance.

The Treatment Usually Offered.

To prevent the stable fly from annoying animals, providing darkened stables, pens, sheds or other shelters in which the animals can retreat is a good practice. Spraying or brushing the animals over with liquid fly repellants is also advised. There is no repellant of very enduring efficiency, but a number of such now in common use are worth while even if their effect is so short as to require daily or twice a day application. This may seem a lot of work, but a man with an auto spray holding two gallons of liquid can go over a line of twenty cows in five minutes. A successful preparation that can be used as a spray is made by mixing the following:—

2 lbs. laundry soap.	1½ qts. oil of tar.
4½ qts. coal tar dip.	2 qts. coal oil.
4½ qts. fish oil.	2 qts. whale oil.

Dissolve the laundry soap in water and then add the other ingredients and more water to make 30 gallons of spray.

Additional Treatment Suggested.

Poisons and traps are sometimes used and can be made very efficient agents in stable fly control if used with ordinary intelligence and thoroughness. Formaldehyde is one of the best poisons to use in fly destruction. Mix two ounces of formaldehyde with 1½ quarts of milk, sweeten with brown sugar, and place in a window where the flies congregate; in stables and pig pens properly darkened, one window may be left uncovered to provide the necessary light to attract the flies to the poison dish. If the stable man will at the beginning of the season provide shelves on which to place poison dishes high enough up to be out of the way and where there is light, keep the same replenished from day to day with formaldehyde, milk and sugar, and see that all other moisture is covered up, millions of flies can be destroyed with little effort. A general clean up daily to prevent the pest increasing by breeding is very necessary to any control; in fact there is little use in trying to poison or trap flies if we are so shiftless and neglectful of sanitary conditions as to permit them to breed wholesale. Clean up is the first and last word in stable fly control.—L. Stevenson, Dept. of Extension, O.A. College, Guelph.

Stack Threshing Has Advantages.

Records show that it costs the farmer a little more to stack his grain and thresh it from the stack than it does to thresh directly from the field. The cost of threshing alone in threshing from the stack is less than the cost of threshing in the field, but when the cost of stacking, which must be taken into consideration, is added, the cost of stacking and threshing from the stack is a little higher. To offset this, however, the straw and grain are usually of a better quality. Considerable loss is likely to result from leaving grain in the stook a long while waiting for the threshing machine. Especially is this true if wet weather prevails. Furthermore, if grain is stacked as soon as it is fit in case of wet weather the plow can be quickly, shocks standing any length of time needed to grass and cut the grass. Consequently in the case of this kind the grain should be threshed or stacked as early as possible.

The tomato is closely related to the potato, and while the actual food value of the tomato is not so great as that of the potato, it has certain qualities that make it one of the most desirable of our garden crops.

Farmers are not only profiting by shipping their poultry co-operatively, but they are getting into the herd of questions, learning business methods and how to care for their poultry to get the best results.

A cow that has to use her energy warming the ice cold water she drinks can't use that energy to make milk.

A "Husky" on the Street.

A husky dog on short leash attracted a lot of attention on a Toronto street recently during a short downtown journey. The garb of the escort suggested the North country and, rightly or wrongly, a lot of people thought that one of the members of a dog team was out for a tour of older Ontario. There was a shrinking timidity about the dog's demeanor which fitted the theory, and several people turned their heads in sympathetic curiosity and said something to this effect: "The poor thing is scared to death."

There was a resemblance to Strongheart, the brave police dog of the movies, and persons who get all their education about the North country from the animated screen conjured up pictures of the dog teams trailling over endless miles of wilderness. Thanks to a succession of scenario writers of the day, Canada is chiefly known as a land of dog teams, mounted police and melo-dramatic occurrences which these and a few other agencies may create. Only the other day the International Book Review, New York, was moved to protest against the misrepresentation of Canadian life through the movies, and said:

They depict it as a land where the only means of locomotion is a husky dog, where the only roads are devious trails through boundless prairie, or rocky paths through endless forest; where the only places of amusement are log-built bars, showing a company hilariously drunk; where nobody thinks of anything but a one or two room cabin, with pelts and saucepans decorating the walls. Canada as shown to the world in pictures and magazine stories is a land where there are no towns and where it is always December.

So the husky dog downtown brought romance to our streets. It was the romance from fiction and the screen, not the reality of everyday life. There are plenty of dog teams, and they have their uses in their place, but they are not to be compared in numbers or utility with the ever expanding motor car, which is crowding the dog team farther back, just as the radio is sending its waves to the lonely shack on the Yukon shores and changing the life of the broad Northland.

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Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ear, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness should be heeded by middle-aged women, and let Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound carry them safely through this crisis as it did Mrs. Brown.

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SHIPS OF OLDEN TIMES.

Yachts Introduced Into England by Charles II.

In Hamble Creek, that beautiful arm of the Solent which was the cradle of the British Navy and the scene of its first sea fight, lies the training-ship Mercury, that admirable institution for the education of British youth, directed by Commander C. N. Fry.

Among its special treasures is the beautifully rigged model of H.M.S. Tartar. Built at Deptford in 1734, this vessel twenty years later was renowned as a veritable tartar among the Channel privateers. Very few models of the period have the original rigging still in position, for such slender and delicate fabrics very soon perish and fall into an unrecognizable tangle, and most of the rigged models in museums have been re-rigged by experts from such information as could be obtained from contemporary sources, and to a certain extent by guesswork.

A very fine model of H.M.S. Prince Royal calls to mind the famous picture, "A Whip for Van Tromp," for this ship, built from the designs of the master shipwright, Peter Pitt, was a well-known fighter against the Dutch in the wars of the seventeenth century.

Memories of Nelson are called forth by the model formerly reputed to be of H.M.S. Ruby, which at the time belonged to him. Several indications, such as the frequently repeated fleur-de-lys decoration, as well as the lines of the hull, suggest that it really represents a French ship, possibly the prize Solitaire.

A marvellous example of the patient craftmanship of the old shipwrights is the model of the Dutch two-decker Washington. The whole of the upper part of the ship lifts off to allow the interior to be inspected, and below are still more sections which may be lifted off in turn. There is a key in Dutch to the various parts, and the whole is probably absolutely unique of its kind.

Yachts were first introduced into England by King Charles II., for whom several were built at the royal dockyards. But it is a far cry from a craft like the Britannia to the ornate vessel of which the Mercury collection contains a model, with her carved cherubs and roses, her garlands and chubby loves, all in the florid Restoration style.

Another interesting model is that of a square-rigged ketch of the eighteenth century; one of the very few of this type in existence. To-day, of course, a ketch is a fore-and-aft rigged craft, but in the period mentioned square-rigged ketches were very frequently employed as dispatch and bomb vessels in the royal navy.

These are only a few of the special treasures of the collection. At a time when relics of nautical history are being acquired in increasing numbers by connoisseurs abroad, their value and interest become greater year by year. Some day, one hopes, the Mercury collection may form an important part of that national museum of maritime treasures, the establishment of which is one of the fondest dreams of those who love the history and the traditions of all branches of the sea service.

King Wenceslaus.

King Wenceslaus or Wenzel, the patron saint of Bohemia, was converted to Christianity by his grandmother, Ludmilla. He was born about 908, and died in 935. Some time after ascending the throne of Bohemia he was assassinated by his brother Boleslas, because he attempted to make his people Christians. His fame has come down to us in the well-known Christmas carol "Good King Wenceslaus."

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[From London Opinion.]

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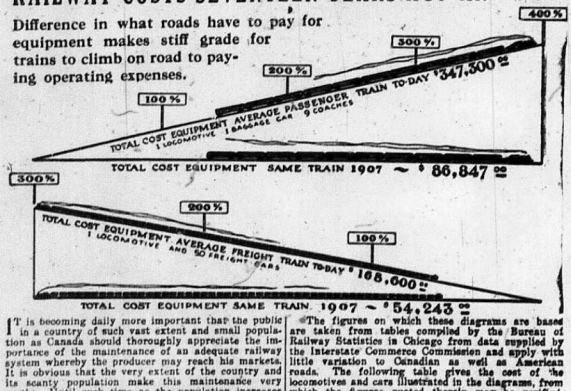
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TRAIN TO-DAY $347,500
TOTAL COST EQUIPMENT AVERAGE PASSENGER 1 LOCOMOTIVE 1 BAGGAGE CAR 9 COACHES
TOTAL COST EQUIPMENT SAME TRAIN 1907 ~ $ 86,847
300%
200%
100%
TOTAL COST EQUIPMENT AVERAGE FREIGHT TRAIN TO-DAY $168,600
1 LOCOMOTIVE AND 50 FREIGHT CARS
TOTAL COST EQUIPMENT SAME TRAIN 1907 ~ $ 54,243

IT is becoming daily more important that the public in a country of such vast extent and small population as Canada should thoroughly appreciate the importance of the maintenance of an adequate railway system whereby the producer may reach his markets. It is obvious that the very extent of the country and its scanty population make this maintenance very costly. Until such time as the population increases by immigration to the extent that the traffic on the railroads is heavy enough to enable them to reduce passenger and freight rates, and yet meet expenses, it is impossible for rates to come down without serious loss of efficiency. And then demand such reductions and even expect the rates to return to the standard of ten years and more ago do not seem to realize the unavoidable expenditures have risen phenomenally of late years in practically every direction, giving the railroads a stiff grade to surmount before they can pay operating expenses, compared to which such expenditures were formerly a level track.

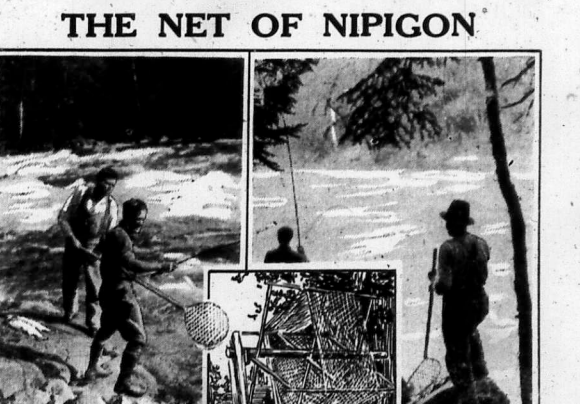
This is especially true of railroad equipment, the cost of which in almost all cases has doubled or even trebled. It is true that the quality of equipment has improved during the seventeen years covered in the above diagram. The public has demanded improved service such as could only be given by improved equipment and the railways must pay accordingly.

The diagrams shown above graphically illustrate the facts as they apply to only one class of equipment, locomotives and certain kinds of rolling stock. In connection with it is important to bear in mind that they do not account for cost of repair, maintenance or operation, including wages, but only for actual construction, and these costs, not touched on here, have gone up in somewhat similar fashion.

	1907		1924	
Ties	2,000 untreated	@ $ .40	$1,200	5,000 creosoted @ $ 2.00	$6,000
Rail, 56 lb.	125 tons	@ 22.00	5,500	100 lb. 160 tons @ 55.00	8,800
Angle Bars	6.9 "	@ 50.00	345	" 9.5 " @ 90.00	855
Bolts	6.9 "	@ 60.00	54	" 1.8 " @ 135.00	162
Spikes	4.0 "	@ 50.00	200	" 6.0 " @ 90.00	540
Tie Plates	600 "	@ 14.00	84	" 6,000 @ .40	2,400
Rail Anchors				" 1,000 @ .25	400
Ballast-gravel	2,000 yds.	@ .60	1,200	rock 3,000 yds. @ 2.00	6,000
Tracklaying, labor			680	Labor	1,500
Totals			$7,183		$26,657

Increase, 271%

THE NET OF NIPIGON



"The charm of freshwater, the charm of mirror-like surfaces . . . and the sweet smell of the woods."

LIke a flower escaped from a garden is the fishnet found in inland Canada. Nets belong to the sea, to the sea-mists of the Atlantic shores and to the salmon-runs of the Pacific. What are they doing inland, out of habitat, "fish out of water," as it were?

But when you chance upon the "inland net" of the Indian, wound around a crude wheel whittled out of saplings, something inside, some inner sense, speaks inner room . . . not many of them . . . are rare. Those others, in the beauty of their strength, are the sculpture in the gallery of Canadian handiwork. There is no question of superiority only an interesting and very entertaining one of difference. Sometimes we are in a mood for the sculpture, for the strength of the sea; and nothing can satiate this hunger when it is upon us, but the way of the Maritime . . . East or West.

But these inland nets that stand for Canadian-lakes and rivers, those wonderful water highways, or mere bridle paths, and canoe-trails of waters, have their own charm . . . the charm of freshwater, the charm of mirror-like surfaces, the charm of the deep peace and the sweet smell of the woods.

What sort of world's work, someone murmurs, can be accomplished of these toy nets . . . more like feminine draperies than tools of an industry?

The filigree meshes wound about this old, weathered skeleton of a reel do not purport to be a Blue-Book of the immensity and range of the freshwater fisheries of Canada . . . and they are immense . . . so much as a point-finger of the hundreds of miles of lakes and rivers opened up to sportsmen following the beckoning of . . . "the nets of Nipigon."—Victoria Hayward.

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The barge Nadine brought in over a thousand tons of coal for P. Gleeson last week.

The schooner Lyman Davis, brought in a load of coal for VanLeuven on Sunday.

During the excitement caused by the fire at Mrs. W. F. Hall's home on Saturday, Mrs. Rendell had the misfortune to fall off the verandah and break her wrist.

Starting Thursday, May 29th, Boat "Paridie" will run to Picton Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays, until further notice, leaving Napanee at 7 a.m., leaving Picton at 2 p.m. 26-ap

The first local baseball game of the season was played at Newburgh on Wednesday afternoon, when the Gibbard team defeated Newburgh 5-1, before a fair attendance of spectators.

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On Wednesday Provincial Officer Thompson captured an Olds, sedan occupied by a couple of Jews from Montreal. In the sedan was a quantity of liquor and a complete outfit for labelling the liquor and stamping it with the stencil of the Quebec liquor commission. On Saturday, Mr. Thompson seized a car in Belleville containing fourteen cases of liquor.

The death occurred at his home near Bethany, early on Saturday morning of Mr. Nelson Dingman at the age of 65 years. Mr. Dingman, who was a highly respected citizen of North Fredericksburgh, had been in poor health for the past year, and had been holding his own until a week ago when he grew worse and although the best medical aid was obtained there was no relief and he passed peacefully away. He is survived by his widow.

The death occurred on Thursday morning of Mr. James R. Meyers at the ripe age of 82 years. Mr. Meyers had been in poor health for some little time, but was suddenly stricken and passed away almost immediately. Deceased was born near Hay Bay and spent all his life on a farm, until about eight years ago, when he removed to Napanee, to enjoy a well earned competence. He was twice married, his first wife having predeceased him many years ago. Besides his widow he leaves one son, Robt. Meyers, Napanee, and three daughters, Mrs. Arthur Gault and Mrs. Sam Parks, South Fredericksburgh, and Mrs. Norman Garrison, Brantford. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon from his late residence to Morven cemetery.

High praise for Toronto's public health system expressed by visiting experts.

Allies likely may place control of armaments in Germany with League of Nations.

Prohibition of importation of liquor into Ontario upheld by the Supreme Court.

Escaped prisoner twice baffle Campbellford police and vanish through hail of bullets.

Search to be instituted for members of Orinoco crew who sacrifice lives to give others a chance.

Arlow Debell, 15, and Dean Livingstone, 19, were drowned at Sarnia when their duck boat was sunk by squalls.

By a majority of 18 votes the Fundamentalists beat the Modernists at the 136th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S.

SATURDAY.

Sterling in Toronto, $4.42; New York, $4.34⅝.

New York Giants again lead National League.

"Babe" Ruth hits his tenth home run of the season.

Big British daily papers fined for contempt of court.

Beau of West wins Lakeside Plate at Woodbine Park.

Herriot finds task of forming Cabinet in France difficult.

Cyril Coaffee named as member of Canadian Olympic team.

George W. Peacock of Oakville drops dead in his garage.

Italy gets large slice of territory in Jubaland from Britain.

Ontario Bar Association holds annual banquet at Toronto.

Czechoslovakia beats Switzerland in Davis Cup elimination.

Hot election campaign in full swing in British Columbia.

Orillia man of 80 killed by motor car driven by Toronto man.

Toronto Leafs beat Syracuse 7—1, securing even break in series.

Inquiry opens into sinking of steamer Orinoco in Lake Superior.

Miss Marion Hatteres wins women's Metropolitan golf championship.

PERSONALS

(All our readers are cordially invited to hand in, or send in, any news they may have for this column).

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Trumpour spent the week-end in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Scott, who have been spending the winter in California, have returned to Napanee.

Mr. Benson McCabe, Oshawa, spent the week-end with his mother in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. MacKenzie spent the week-end with relatives at Gravenhurst.

Miss Lena Graham, Utica, N. Y., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. C. A. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Garrison, Brantford, were in Napanee last week attending the funeral of Mrs. Garrison's father, the late Jas. Meyers.

Mr. Harry Loucks, Toronto Dental College, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Loucks.

Mr. C. Russell Salisbury, Camden East, is among the graduates in medicine announced by Queen's University.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. M. Shorey, Toronto, returned to Toronto on Wednesday after visiting his mother at Newburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nugent, of Newburgh, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Winters, of Empey Hill.

Mr. Jack Stewart, New York, is visiting his mother in Napanee and renewing acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ralph, Stirling, spent the week-end with her brothers, Messrs. B. M. and C. D. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O'Neill, Yarker, spent the week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. VanAlstyne.

Mr. Mahlon Rawley has returned to his home in Marlbank, after spending three months with his sister, Mrs. E. R. Sills.

Rev. H. K. Coleman and Mrs. Coleman, Parham, were guests of his parents, Rev. J. H. and Mrs. Coleman a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bowen and little grandson, Everett Jackson, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Chas. N. Jackson, Oshawa.

Rev. J. H. H. Coleman and Messrs. F. F. Miller and T. B. Wallace were in attendance at the Ontario Diocesan Synod meeting in Kingston last week.

BIRTHS

Shetler—At Richmond, on Friday, May 23rd, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Shetler, a son.

DEATHS

Meyers—At Napanee on Thursday, May 22nd, 1924, James R. Meyers, born January 5th, 1842—1924.

Schell—At North Fredericksburgh, on Sunday, May 25th, 1924, William Earl Schell, aged 7 years, 10 months.

Dingman—At North Fredericksburgh, on Saturday, May 24th, 1924, Nelson Dingman, aged 63 years, 11 months.

Mitchell and Sullivan.

Mitchell and John L. Sullivan were implacable enemies long after they had retired from the ring. Sullivan had won the heavyweight champion ship by knocking out Paddy Ryan in nine rounds with bare knuckles when Mitchell, holding the middle and heavyweight titles of England, first came across the ocean. Sullivan beat Mitchell in four rounds in the Garden in 1883, but the talkative Briton continued to ridicule John L. until they met at Chantilly, France, five years later. They fought with naked fists and at the end of thirty-nine rounds a draw was declared.

Mitchell claimed a moral victory. Later he came here with Frank P. Slavin of Australia and vainly dared Sullivan to arrange a fight with the latter. Mitchell crowed over John L.'s defeat by Corbett in 1892 and several barroom scraps between them were narrowly averted. But when Sullivan, broke, was at death's door a few years later Mitchell called on him.

"John, I had to see you!" said the Englishman. "They told me you needed help. Here's a little something I want you to have for old times' sake."

A $1,000 bill was thrust into Sullivan's hand.—Joe Vila in New York Sun.

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—Trolley Topics.

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SATURDAY, MAY 31st $25.00 EACH
FOR ONE DAY ONLY . .

We find that a great many women, particularly young women, who must have many, do not wish to pay over $25.00 for anyone of their individual frocks.

This is to cope with this situation, we have selected a group of twenty dresses that are worth regularly $29.50, $30.00, $32.50 to $37.50 and have marked them down to $25.00 each all round for a one-day sale, Saturday.

These dresses are all 1924 models, invariably they are created from Canton Crepe, the styles are particularly good for business girls, school teachers and youthful matrons. Individuality is the keynote in styles represented in this sale.

The following shades are obtainable :

Brown
Sand
Beige
Whirlpool
Grey
Navy
Black

We particularly want to impress all concerned with the importance of this special dress offer. All dresses offered are chosen from regular stock. They are as perfect as human hands can make them. These values cannot be duplicated.

OUR THREE GREAT COAT VALUES HAS BEEN THE TALK OF THE COUNTRYSIDE

$10.00	$16.95	$24.50
Former values to $16.50	Former values to $24.50	Former values to $37.50

"May" has established new sales records in Women's and Misses' Coat sales. It has been the greatest since the war. We attribute this accomplishment to the keen judgment of our customers. Their ability to recognize value, out-standing value such as these coats represented.

We have some of these Coats left, in all a very complete, seasonable range. Any woman who has not purchased, should do so. We have re-arranged them somewhat. Many of our stock coats have greater reductions.

Choose at Robinson's—We'll- guarantee to give you Value—Style—Quality.

VALUES OF INTEREST, OBTAINABLE IN OUR STAPLE SECTION THAT SHOULD MEET THE APPROVAL OF MOST BUYERS

Acorn Table Oilcloth in the newest damask, wood, block and tile patterns comes in two widths. 45 inch at 50 cents per yard and 54 inch at 65 cents per yard. Can also be had in white at the same prices.

54 inch square damask oilcloth table covers come in shades of Tan, Green, Brown and Blue. These are being used very much. Priced at $1.25 each.

39 inch wide Apron Ginghams come in the approved check patterns, with or without the borders. This material is particularly dependable both in wear and wash. Priced at 30, 35 and 40 cents per yd.

Absolutely fast color Dress Ginghams when priced at 25, 30, 35, 40, 45 and 50 cents per yard, represent exceptionally good values when qualities are considered. See our 27 inch cloth at 19 cents per yard.

Duro Dye Chambrays and Ginghams are wonderfully dependable materials. 40 inch wide at $1.00 per yard.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S TWO-PIECE OUTING SUITS

Neat models in All Wool Homespun. Three shades of Grey— Light, medium and dark, also Taupe. Coats are two button, single breasted, have patch pockets and are half lined. Trousers have five pockets, loops for belt and 1½ inch cuffs. Sizes 35 to 46. Popularly priced at $18.50 the suit.

AN ALL WOOL TWO-PIECE OUTING SUIT AT $15.00

In a Grey and Light Green mixed Tweed of all wool. Single breasted, two button model, lined all through, lower pockets have flaps. Trousers are medium cut, five pockets, loops for belt and cuffs. Extra special at $15.00. Sizes 37 to 44 chest.

MEN'S KHAKI TROUSERS

The best made Khaki Trousers we know of, "Kaye Brand." A splendid wearing material and cut to fit. Sizes 32 to 46. Priced at $2.50.

Quality, Service, Value.

THE ROBINSON CO.
LIMITED

We close at 10 p.m. Saturdays. Other days at 5.30 p.m.